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FOREWORD

This volume is the first in a series documenting what has been gleaned about the lives and descendants of some of the pioneer families among the early settlers in a certain small area of DeKalb County, Indiana. This refers specifically to the settlement in the southeastern corner of the county near the towns of St. Joe, Newville, and Spencerville which became commonly known as Coburn's Corner, Coburn Corners or, more frequently, Coburntown. Never having had any commercial enterprise, Coburntown wasn't qualified to be a "town." Its only buildings over the years have been an early one-room school, a permanent church, and the Homer Abel homestead residence. However, the Coburntown designation remains in common use today. As one will perceive from this work, the heart of the Coburntown community is the church there which embraced members of all of the families documented in these volumes.

It must be stated in all fairness that the research behind this work was not begun with the objective of providing such a record. Actually, it came about as the result of an effort to establish a personal genealogical background which involved a number of different family lines among the early settlers in the Coburntown area. Typical of the times and conditions that favored courtships close to home, the subsequent intermarriages produced complex relationships to the degree that disentangling the Coburntown families after a period of more than 125 years can be likened appropriately to unraveling "a can of worms."

As members of the various family lines ultimately drifted away to new frontiers or other pursuits, an attempt has been made to garner information about such branches for this record. It is inevitable that traces of many vanished over the years. Or after such long separation, their descendants sometimes have no interest and will not respond to inquiries. Therefore, the final data is admittedly neither complete nor perfect. However, it is extensive enough that it obviously deserves to be made into a formal record for posterity to benefit others now having an interest and the future generations wishing to learn about their forbears.

Once the decision was made to undertake this project, there was a problem in how it should be approached because of compelling historical concerns and biographical material and the fact that the genealogical content necessarily must start with the pioneer families and their descendants without belaboring the issue of their antecedents. However, where there exists a published genealogy or facts are known about antecedents in a specific family line, suitable reference is made herein to identify the progenitor and the path of descent.

The Coburntown community is a uniquely-constituted area deserving more than a casual review to recognize its impact upon DeKalb County history. In this regard, the author has no specific qualification as a historian and can only humbly submit his version of such content.

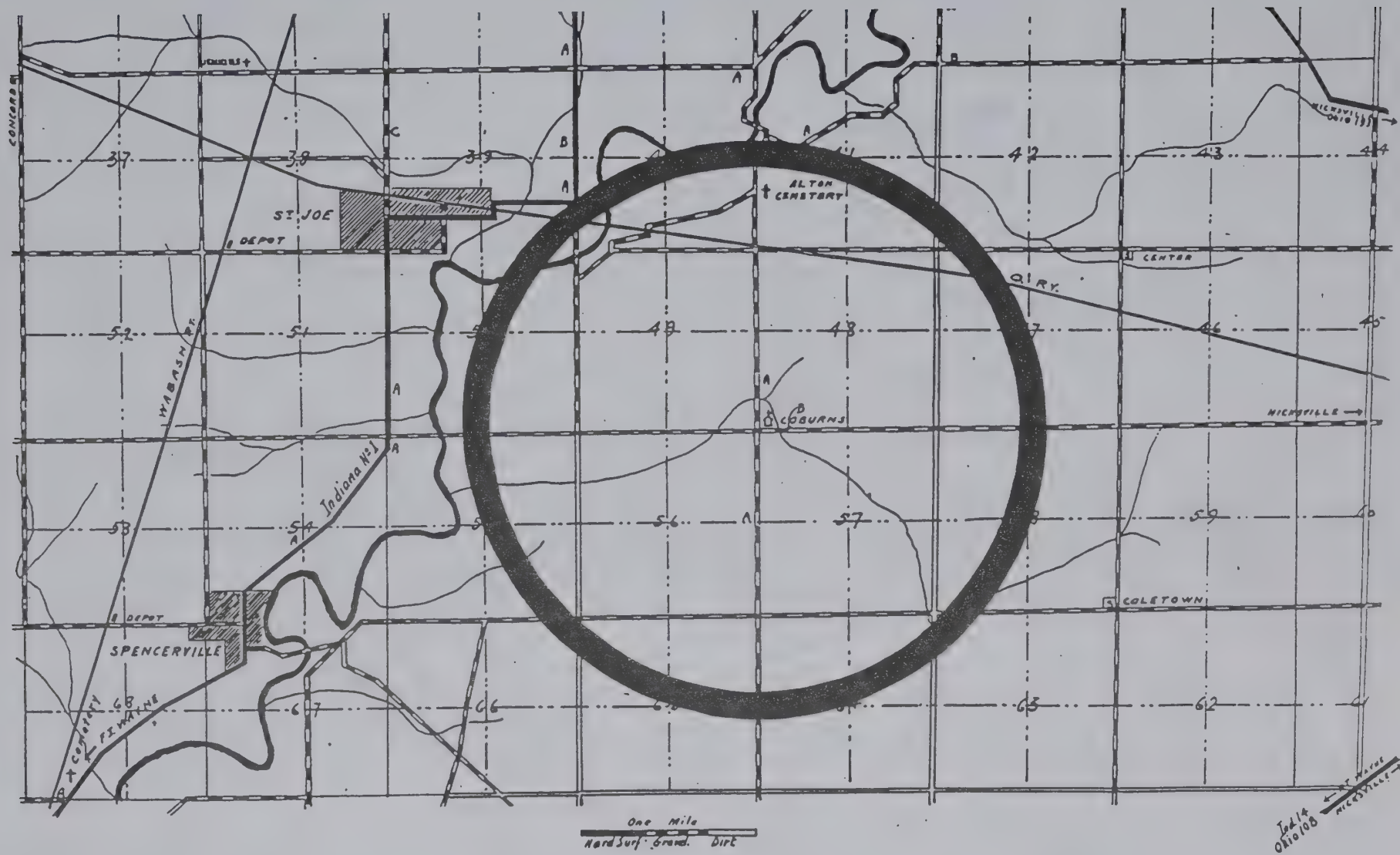
In the formal history books and records of the DeKalb County Historical Society will be found an excellent account of DeKalb County from the earliest days

including a wealth of biographical material, much of which was prepared as early as 1859 from first-hand references. Vivid stories are recorded about the primitive circumstances encountered by the early settlers and some of their rather frightening experiences while gaining a foothold in the wilderness and establishing a home there. Such tales provide informative and interesting reading from which the rugged character of the pioneers is readily self-evident but it is inappropriate to repeat such information here except those instances that apply directly to the Coburntown community.

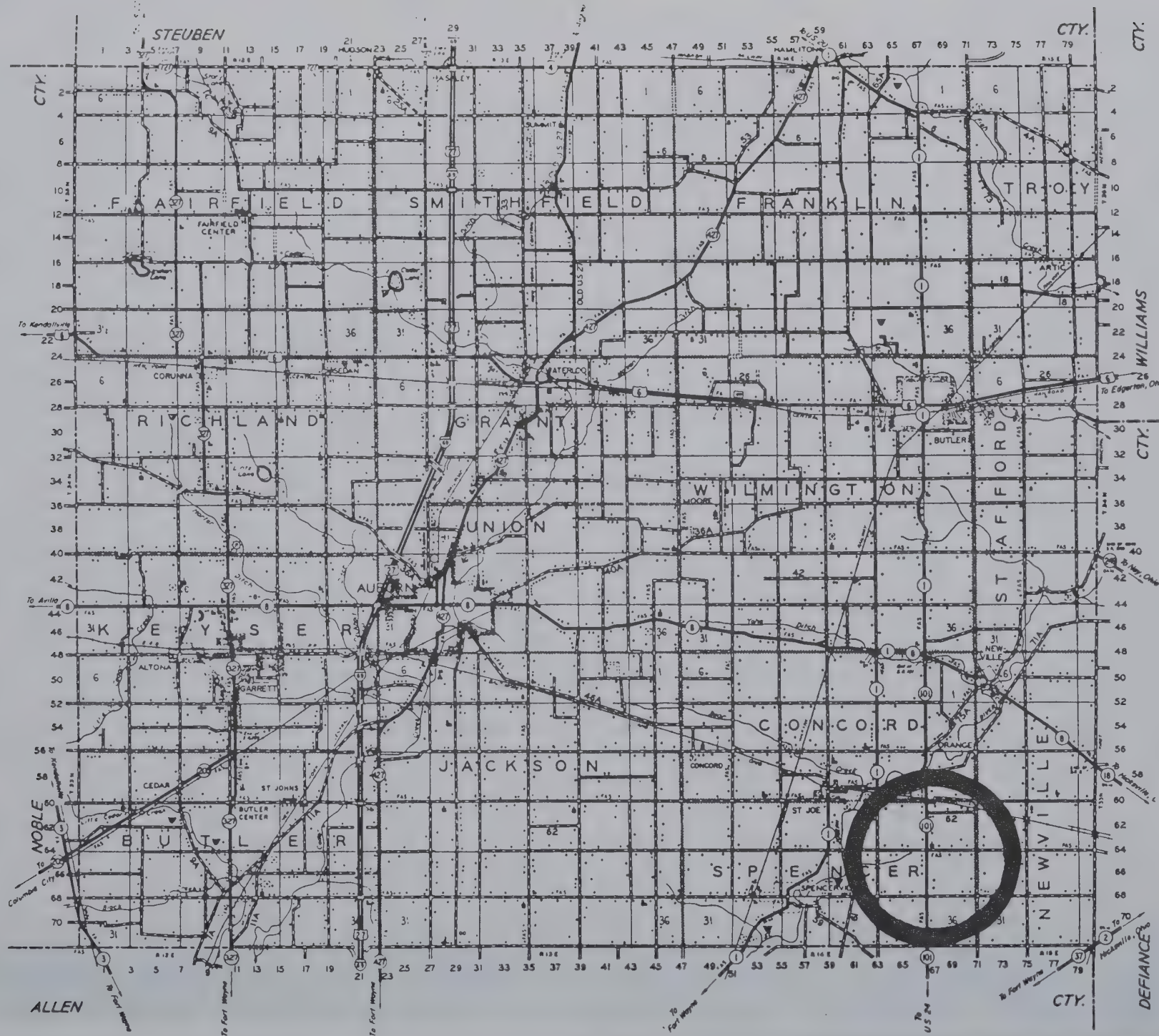
The later historical development of government, judicial, civic, financial, military, religious and other strategic forces within the county all have been aptly and fairly presented within the reasonable confines of space in such history books.

If some of the material in this work appears to encroach upon the domain of the historians, it is done apologetically and in the context that history without people would be geography while a record of people without historical and biographical content necessarily would be genealogy in its strictest, and driest form. This record never would have been compiled if it had to be limited to the genealogical discipline alone.

The scope of the genealogical data is too broad to enable all of the family lines to be encompassed in one volume, which necessitates a series of books. It should be noted, too, that because of the intermarriages, information for some families is duplicated within the respective genealogical records. A degree of redundancy appears to be unavoidable if the information for each family is to be kept reasonably intact or as complete as deemed necessary to facilitate reference by interested parties.



The area circled approximates the Coburntown community.



DEKALB
COUNTY
HIGHWAY
MAP

STATE OF OHIO

INTRODUCTION

Many different circumstances contributed to the continued westward movement of pioneer families during the opening of new frontiers in our country. Some simply felt that the eastern states were becoming over-crowded and they should seek new homes where there was ample room for all with a spirit of adventure and a willingness to put forth the effort required to carve out a new home in the wilderness. Perhaps the over-riding cause, however, was the opportunity for economic gain; leaving established homes, farms, and businesses, usually sold at some profit, and acquiring new homestead property at little or no monetary cost but offset by the deprivation and physical struggle to conquer the land and construct dwellings, usually an initial crude log home later replaced with larger and more comfortable quarters as the settlers prospered.

The region of the first national territory in the United States was the Northwest Territory (or Old Northwest as it was generally known) which included the area about the Great Lakes and between the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, comprising the present states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, and part of Minnesota. In 1800, the western portion was split off as the Indiana Territory with the capital at Corydon in 1813. In 1802, the eastern portion was sufficiently populated to become the State of Ohio and this broke up the Northwest Territory. Indiana achieved statehood in 1816 and Indianapolis was laid out as the capital which was moved from Corydon in 1824/1825. However, Vincennes, formed in 1735, is recognized as the first permanent settlement in present Indiana.

Inasmuch as the waterways were the broad, smooth highways of the pioneers, it was natural then that the earliest homestead settlers during the late 1700's and early 1800's, many from Virginia, in the area that was to become the State of Indiana, took up land along or near the shore of the Ohio River. So when Indiana achieved statehood, nearly all of the State's population was concentrated in the lower half. Ensuing development of the earliest roads, canalways, and later railroads during most of the first half of the nineteenth century occurred in the southern part of the State which encouraged further growth of the population there.

Some may wonder why the settlement of DeKalb County and other areas in the northern part of Indiana seems to have occurred at such a relatively late date. It was ten years after Indiana became a State that the first settler penetrated the area that was to become DeKalb County and ten more years before it was voted in 1836 to establish the County of DeKalb, there then being only about 30 settlers within the entire county.

The northern half of Indiana at that time was relatively inaccessible. There were few stretches of rivers running in a westerly direction. Land was so heavily forested and wild that the pioneer faced not only the real dangers of the raw frontier but also was confronted with the tremendous physical task of conquering and clearing the land, building a home, and establishing a farm. Indians, mainly of the Pottawattomy and Miami tribes, still were living there

in large numbers with many encampments and pursuing their primitive ways which presented an element of fear to the would-be settler and his family.

The 1885 History of DeKalb County, Indiana provides an excellent account of the natural elements and physical conditions encountered by the early settlers. This volume contains illuminating stories of events that were experienced by the pioneers, mostly as related personally to Rev. Samuel Widney and reported by him in a series of first-hand articles printed in 1859 by the newspaper at Auburn, Indiana. These stories vividly present the stark nature of pioneer life in DeKalb County and they certainly make most interesting and recommended reading.

Aside from the above, this same History of DeKalb County contains an outstanding collection of biographical material concerning citizens that resided in the various townships. And in view of the contemporary origin of the biographies, the authenticity and interesting content of this material is quite impressive. Therefore, the biography of each of the Coburntown settlers available from this source is duplicated verbatim where his family data is recorded in this series of volumes. It is hoped that the descendants will enjoy the accounts and appreciate the thoroughness of the historian in collecting the information at that early date.

However, nowhere is there any emphatic record concerning the effect of the Great Black Swamp upon the relative slowness in the settlement of upper Indiana and particularly DeKalb County. It is the author's opinion that surely this natural obstacle must have played an important part in deterring those settlers who may have wanted to establish homesteads and seek to improve their fortunes in this section of northern Indiana. While the Swamp usually is associated with northwestern Ohio and indeed the bulk of it lies there, it also extended into Indiana with its westernmost tip reaching nearly to Fort Wayne in Allen County.

It is believed that the Swamp presented such a formidable element that it affected settlement of the Coburntown community and other areas of DeKalb County to the extent that a separate brief chapter is warranted to adequately describe its character and scope and the efforts expended to overcome it.

A large number of the early settlers in DeKalb County, and especially those who settled in or near the area we identify as the Coburntown community, came to Indiana from Trumbull County, Ohio, the largest entity within the Western Reserve until broken up in 1845 to form additional counties. Their pathway to Indiana in a direct westwardly direction placed before them the entire length of that most-inhospitable Black Swamp. The fact that the Maumee River ran through the Swamp was of no benefit because the water flowed from west to east and the rapids located near Fort Defiance in Ohio were not navigable. These settlers were compelled to find their way past the Black Swamp on one side or the other rather than try to go through it.

Not all of the settlers came from Trumbull County however. There also was a contingent of families from Ashland County, Ohio. It is not known what prompted these people to come to DeKalb County, Indiana but it appears that they must have been neighbors or acquaintances in Ohio because they arrived in

Indiana during a narrow time span. The path from Ashland lay along the southern edge of the Black Swamp and offered no great hardship until it became necessary to breach the frontier into northeastern Indiana with its dense forest and wet lands. It is presumed that these families skirted the western edge of the Black Swamp near Fort Wayne and then made their way up the St. Joseph River or via Indian trails into the area that was to become DeKalb County.

Other settlers were from random points of origin and apparently relocated on an individual basis so their arrival presents no pattern of movement.

It appears that a majority of the early settlers in DeKalb County shared the same ambition to acquire good land at a low cost in order to better their economic lot in this new frontier.

Another development of great significance occurred in the very beginning of the settlement of the Coburntown community which ever since has influenced the social life of its residents and specifically the religious element of their existence. It is perhaps coincidental but when DeKalb County was established in 1836 there also was established at about the same time in the Coburntown community the first formal church in the county. And to these settlers, their religion was a primary force in the fact of daily living much the same as it was perceived by the earliest arrivals in America dating from the time of the arrival of the pilgrims seeking religious freedom. In the beginning, this new church had no regular meeting house but met each week in the home of one of the members of the congregation. Nevertheless, the church maintained an organization and formal records were kept continuously from its formation.

We are fortunate in having available copies of two presentations concerning the history of the Coburntown church, the first having been prepared by John F. Coburn for presentation on February 17, 1876 at a "reunion" (his word for the celebration of the 39 year period that the church had been in existence) and the second by Walter H. Coburn in 1937 on the occasion of the church centennial service. These two papers provide a much more coherent story about the church and its congregation than could be written by anyone else and they are duplicated in their entirety for this reason. It will be readily apparent why the church is such a significant element in this project to document the descendants of the early settlers, most of whom held an active position within the church on some date. It is self-evident why the crossroads location of the church erected in 1860 became known as Coburn's Corners, or simply Coburntown.

The original church structure was enlarged at least two times over the years and continued to serve the congregation until 1978 when ground was broken for a new building. Much sadness greeted this action but good judgment necessitated the decision to build a new church. Many parts of the old building were purchased for sentimental reasons and to net funds which could be applied against the indebtedness of the new building program; even the bricks were carefully salvaged and suitably prepared for sale as mementos of the beloved old building which had touched the lives of so many people in the area, having been the site of so very many baptisms, marriages, and deaths while fulfilling its purpose as a house of religious worship.

The beautiful new building, with emphasis on function and not adornment, provides badly-needed additional rooms and interior space and also is set back from the crossroads where the location of the original building had come to present a hazard due to modern vehicle traffic. It was most fitting that Rev. Walter H. Coburn, then 83 years old, could be present to address the crowd attending the dedication service held on June 24, 1979.

HOW TO USE THIS BOOK

In a book written to document genealogical data, it is the author's view that certain features are required to facilitate its use. The first of these is an easily understood numbering system that will make it convenient to follow the line of descent through the various generations. Secondly, there must be a comprehensive index of family names and given names with page numbers for easy reference. And finally, the format must be consistently uniform and "readable" so as to avoid confusion while simultaneously presenting both genealogical data and biographical material of substance.

Numbering. For each family line, it is necessary to name an individual who will constitute Generation One. In this series of books, Generation One will in most cases be the pioneer settler who came to the Coburntown area of DeKalb County although this is an arbitrary selection depending upon circumstances. All descendants thereafter will be numbered consecutively (2, 3, 4, etc.) Information for each family line will be grouped into Generations; that is, those children that married and had families of their own will be identified with a plus (+) sign and appear in the next designated generation. For other children all known information is given where their names are listed under the parental data.

As a further aid to the reader, there is given, immediately following the number and name of each descendant in the subsequent generations, in parentheses the names of direct ancestors back to generation one.

It must be called to attention that the numbers assigned in this series of books have no relation to the numbering system used in a formal genealogy which has been published for any of the family lines with which we are concerned. It is desirable where such genealogies exist to identify the ancestral connection and extend our knowledge of the family lines. However, it is not practicable to contrive an extension of the numbering system used in the formal genealogy.

Indexing. While each volume in this series of books deals with several family lines, a common index applies. A sincere attempt is made to include all names and every page number where each name appears even in those cases where a name may be found in more than one family line (typical of an intermarriage).

Format. It is the plan to detail all of the genealogical data immediately following the assigned number, name and ancestral information for each of the respective descendant entries. This will include statistics such as dates of birth, marriage, and death as well as a listing of all of the children. Then there is given whatever biographical information may be available for each of the subject descendants and possibly notations extracted from obituaries or other source documents.

In the case of biographical material taken from the 1885 History of DeKalb County or similar volumes, family statistics may be repeated or variations observed and such information is recorded herein without comment to preserve the verbatim character of the account.

Certain kinds of information are used repeatedly and appear so frequently throughout the genealogical and biographical material that simple abbreviations are used as a conservative measure. Some commonly used abbreviations are used (for instance, the designations for States) which should present no problem. Other abbreviations are itemized below so they can be readily identified wherever they appear. The number of such abbreviations has been kept to a minimum to facilitate use of the volume and avoid confusion.

Ae.	-	Age (usually at death).
b.	=	Born.
bp.	-	Baptized.
c. or ca.	-	Circa, or about; used when a date is doubtful, etc.
co.	-	County.
cr.	-	Church record.
d.	-	Died.
dau.	-	Daughter.
e.g.	-	For example.
etc..	-	And so forth.
gs.	-	Gravestone, or cemetery record.
i.e.	-	That is (to say).
m.	-	Married.
m/1,m/2,	-	First or second marriage, etc.
p.	-	Page.
prob.	-	Probably.
s.	-	Son.
sic	-	Error or something questionable is precisely reproduced.
Twp.	-	Township.
unm.	-	Unmarried.
viz.	-	Namely.
vr.	-	Vital record (city, county, state statistics, etc.).

THE GREAT BLACK SWAMP

The following account is drawn chiefly from information contained in a series of issues of the NORTHWEST OHIO QUARTERLY published in 1953 by the Historical Society of Northwestern Ohio. (CEB)

The Black Swamp is no more, but until it was drained late in the nineteenth century it was a feature to be contended with by all who sought to settle in or travel through northwestern Ohio. Soldiers during the War of 1812, and afterward immigrants to Michigan and northern Indiana were unwilling witnesses to its terrors.

Swamp and marsh land of varying degrees of wetness covered nearly all of northwestern Ohio, which may be defined as that area lying north of the Treaty of Greenville and west of the old Connecticut Reserve.

The Black Swamp, an irregular strip about thirty miles wide, lying parallel to the east bank of the Maumee River from Lake Erie southwest to New Haven, Indiana, was some 1,500 square miles in extent. It was the largest swamp in northwestern Ohio, and with respect to the westward tide of settlement, lay in the most obstructive position.

More specifically, the Black Swamp is that portion of the lake plain of northwestern Ohio which at the time of settlement was nearly one continuous region of standing water or so wet as to ooze water when walked upon in all seasons except the very driest. Where occasional discontinuous sand ridges and rock outcrops rise above the general level of the terrain and comprise relatively dry and well-drained land, they have been included as part of the Black Swamp because their extent is not great enough to interrupt the overall continuity of the swamp land. On the other hand, where there are major interruptions in the terrain such as continuous beach ridges or moraines beyond which only a few scattered sloughs and swales are to be found such sloughs and swales have not been included as part of the Black Swamp. In many cases the swamp boundary is, indeed, difficult to determine with great accuracy, and a line has been drawn midway through the zone of doubt. The area of the morass varied seasonally as well as annually with changes in precipitation; consequently various observers have assigned various dimensions to it.

The name, Black Swamp, did not come into general use until the War of 1812 when the strategy of Hull's and Harrison's armies required a large number of soldiers to pass through the morass. Prior to 1812 the Black Swamp had been generally avoided by white man and Indian alike. Nevertheless, it could not be entirely avoided, for it lay athwart the Great Trail, the principal route from the more populous East to Detroit.

Nothing breeds fear like the unknown, and so it was with the Great Black Swamp. The venturesome traveler or immigrant who dared to contest the character of this place faced such a challenge. First, there was no road nor trail that could be followed. Trees marked by others provided no sure way and one easily became lost with little chance in the dense forest of maintaining a given direction of travel, all the while slogging along in water often hip-deep.

Night-time was especially worrisome because no high ground could be found for a camp and there was no choice but to make the best of the conditions that existed wherever the traveler happened to be at nightfall. And since this was true virgin forest, the wild animals living there produced dreadful, frightening sounds during the night-time that wore on the nerves of the party, particularly the women, to the breaking point. There also was the ever-present fear of Indians known to inhabit the area. Those who traversed any part of the Black Swamp told vivid stories of their experiences, exaggerated no doubt by the terror of things unknown as bred in the imagination; all of which continually added to fear of the area and discouraged others from trying to negotiate its vast reaches.

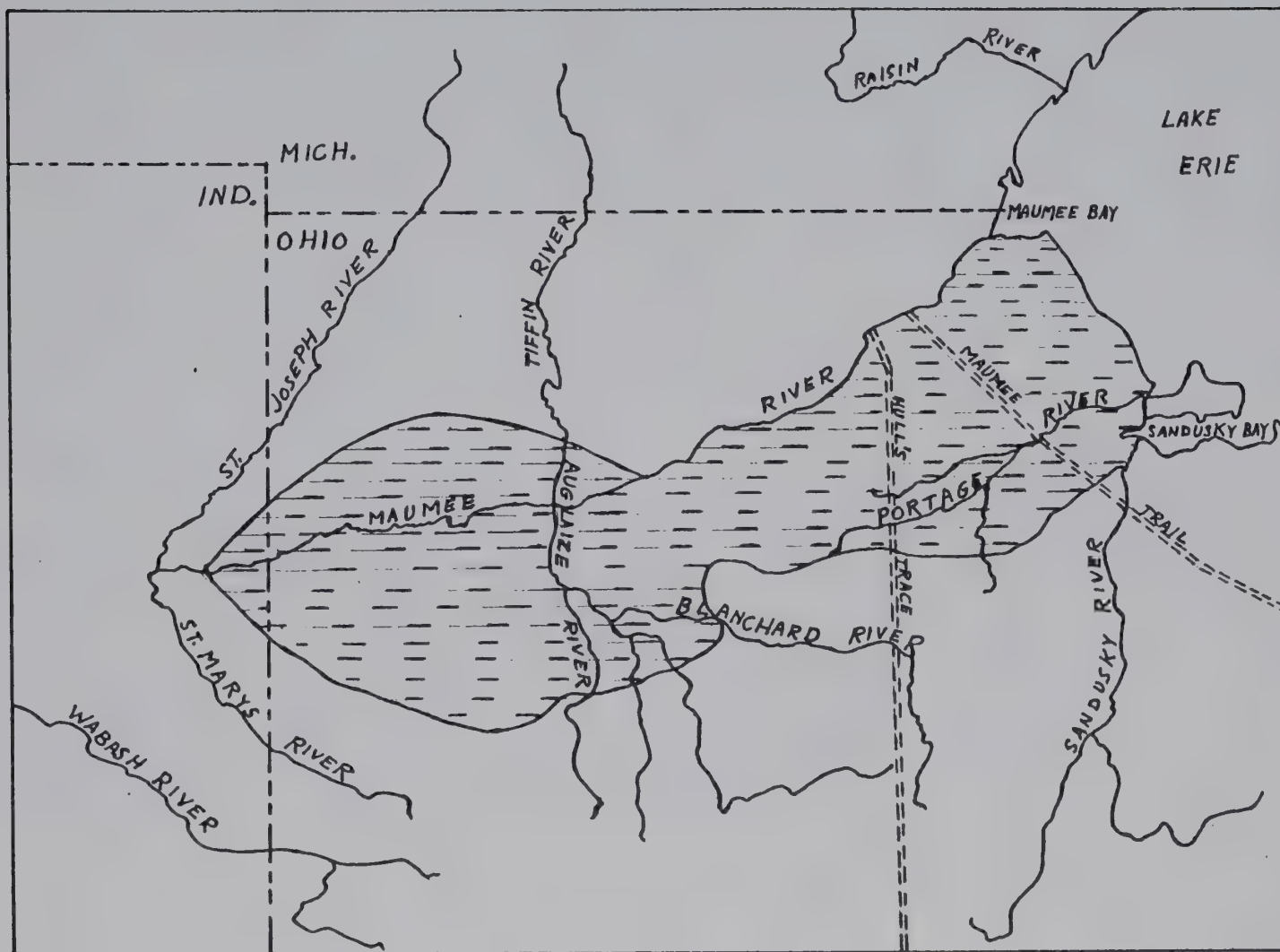
Let us examine some of the history of the Black Swamp.

The diary of David Zeisberger, a Moravian missionary who traveled through northwestern Ohio and southwestern Michigan in 1761-82, provides an early description of the Black Swamp and the lake plain of which it was a part. He writes, after leaving the Sandusky River for Detroit in October, 1781, of the "deep swamps and troublesome marshes," the many miles "where no bit of dry land was to be seen, and the horses at every step (wading) in the marsh up to their knees..." The thirty to thirty-five mile trip from the Sandusky to the Maumee had taken Zeisberger two and one-half days. A later entry in his journal describes the flatness of the country; the many miles of plain "on which nothing grows except long grass;" the similarity to "land near the seashore, which is flooded and never becomes dry;" and the woody land "...not so much flooded...yet wet and swampy." Zeisberger also noted the clayey nature of the soil, "which is one reason why the water remains standing," and the dominant vegetation of "beech-swamp or ash, linden, elm, and other trees such as grow in wet places;" even many oak groves were to be seen. The whole district was used by the Indians only for hunting, and the game was not very plentiful, he continues "on account of the wet."

In 1794, the armies of General Wayne marched along the Auglaize and Maumee Rivers on an expedition which culminated in the defeat of the Indians at the battle of Fallen Timbers and in the Treaty of Greenville. Prior to Wayne's campaign there was a trading post at the confluence of the Auglaize and the Maumee on the present site of Defiance, Ohio. There were several French and English families at the post and some Indian villages nearby. Near the rapids of the Maumee on the east bank of the river there was an English trading post.

Mail service between Detroit and Pittsburgh was begun about 1804 via Cleveland, replacing the Cincinnati-Detroit route which had run in the red during its entire operation. At first it was attempted to send mail to Detroit from Cleveland by water, but this was given up "on account of the storms which made Lake Erie frequently impassable." There were practically no roads, bridges, nor ferries much of the way, and the mail carriers were often obliged to swim their horses.

The Port of Miami and Lower Sandusky (Fremont) were the only white settlements in northwestern Ohio at the outbreak of the War of 1812. There were no roads, only Indian trails. The total number of whites in this vast area probably did not exceed 400 compared to an Indian population estimated at 3,000.



THE BLACK SWAMP

The War of 1812 focused the nation's attention on a region hitherto but little known. For the first time large numbers of Americans were to see for themselves just what the wilderness of northwestern Ohio was like.

Campaign strategy called for the control of Lake Erie and the recapture of Detroit which, in turn, meant that troops had to be deployed in northwestern Ohio and supply lines maintained. Those who knew that the soldiers had to pass through a wilderness before they could reach Detroit did not know that the wilderness was mostly a "frightful swamp" which defied the passage of packhorse and wagon alike. Water transportation also was difficult. The streams were crooked, often too shallow for loaded boats, and sudden cold would freeze them.

The soldiers, like others before and since, wrote letters home recounting their experiences and complaints in especially descriptive terms. One of these terms was that used to describe the vast morass lying between Sandusky and Maumee Rivers -- the Black Swamp. An entry to the journal of Robert Lucas dated June 19, 1812 contains probably the first recorded reference to the Black Swamp by that name. By common usage the name later was expanded by many to the Great Black Swamp.

The first road through the swamp was the trace cut by General Hull's army when they marched to Detroit from Urbana, Ohio. The trace was the width of a wagon track and pushed through some of the worst morasses in northwestern Ohio. Hull's route coincides for the most part with the modern U. S. Highway 68, passing through or near the towns of Kenton, Findlay, and Bowling Green.

Once established, Hull's trace was used sporadically throughout the war, but its use always involved hardships as did the use of the other war routes in northwestern Ohio. The stories of travel along Hull's trace abound with such phrases as a "thick and almost trackless forest;" "...in many places a perfect swamp;" "...man and horse had to travel mid-leg deep in mud;" and..."the mud was ankle deep in our tents."

General Harrison said, "...two trips from M'Arthurs blockhouse (near Kenton), our nearest deposit to the Rapids, will completely destroy a brigade of pack-horses." Of conditions between the Sandusky and Maumee Rapids, the general complained; "A swamp of 30 miles intervenes to which there is nothing to be compared even in this generally swampy country. It is at this moment nearly half-leg deep in mud and water."

By 1820, many of the newly created counties in northwestern Ohio remained unorganized for lack of population. The unorganized counties were attached to neighboring counties whose population was sufficient for them to have been organized. Thus, in 1820, six counties, comprising almost the entire Black Swamp and most of northwestern Ohio were temporarily under the jurisdiction of Wood County. The 733 whites living in Wood County in 1820 were concentrated along the banks of the Maumee near Swan Creek, the foot of the Maumee Rapids, and at Defiance. In Sandusky County the 852 settlers were concentrated along the Sandusky River, especially at the rapids, and on the lands bordering the Western Reserve. All of northwestern Ohio could not even boast

a population of 2,000. Each of the counties bordering the area on the east contained more than three times as many people, and each county directly to the south contained more people than were to be found in all of northwestern Ohio.

American settlement in this area during the twenty-five years following the Treaty of Greenville (1795) was so meager that it had scarcely modified the face of the land. In 1820 the white population had not yet equalled the Indian population of northwestern Ohio. Here and there a log cabin had replaced the wigwam. Almost without exception the whites were located on the sites of former Indian villages and had not yet dared to settle within the borders of the Black Swamp itself.

Factors other than the Black Swamp also contributed to the retarded settlement of northwestern Ohio, among these being the slow removal of the Indians, the War of 1812, and the depression following the war which culminated in the panic of 1819. It is also important to note that northwestern Ohio was the last major portion of the state to be surveyed and offered for sale by the government.

There was then mounting pressure in both Ohio and Michigan for construction of a road across the Black Swamp. Michigan was particularly sensitive to its relative isolation from the East and had fresh memories of the fall of Detroit during the War of 1812; also feeling that a road across the swamp would result in an increase in settlers sufficient to make Michigan Territory a state. A bill before Congress in 1822 was to provide a road from the Maumee Rapids to the Western Reserve to improve "communication by land between the settlements in Michigan and those of the interior of the United States." It was observed that "the construction of any road must precede the establishment there of any considerable population."

The construction of the Maumee and Western Reserve Road was finally approved by Congress in 1823. Building the road was a prodigious task. It passed through the heart of the swamp, and numerous streams had to be bridged. The road was four years in building. Its raised surface was composed of the soil excavated from ditches on either side.

No improvement contributed more to invite attention to, and induce settlement in the Black Swamp county, than did the Maumee and Western Reserve Road. When it was completed in 1827, the Black Swamp road "was simply a strip one hundred and twenty feet wide cleared through the woods, with a ridge of loose earth about forty feet in width between the ditches along the sides." The trees on either side were about 100 feet high, and their leaves nearly shut out the sun's rays except during the period of high sun. For a few years it was a "tolerable road" -- during the dry season.

Shortly after the road's completion a line of four-horse post coaches was established; but the attempt to run the stages regularly was a failure for, except from July to September, the road was impassable. "The more the road was traveled, the worse it became."

The Black Swamp road soon acquired a national reputation "for being perhaps the worst road on the continent." The mail was continually being delayed on

account of the road's impassability. But because it was the only road through the Black Swamp it continued to be used by the ever increasing waves of settlers. "Hauling stalled teams out of the worst mudholes had become a regular and well established employment of the settlers along the route, and in 1834, 1835, and 1836, there were thirty-one taverns between Fremont and Perrysburg, an average of a tavern for every mile of road."

There were only two important routes across the Black Swamp for the early settler, neither of which traveled in an east-west direction. One route, the Black Swamp road, crossed the swamp from southeast to northwest between Fremont and Perrysburg; while the other, Hull's trace, crossed it from south to north.

In the plan of the road from Perrysburg to the Western Reserve, the land is described as low and wet; and ash, elm, oak, maple, linden, hickory, and cottonwood are the most frequently mentioned trees. The timber was heavy and no prairies were to be seen in the thirty miles between Fremont and Perrysburg. There were twenty-two streams of varying magnitude to be crossed in this stretch. Here and there was a limestone outcrop. Stretches of mud "from knee deep to belly deep to our horses for 8 or 10 miles altogether" were reported late in the spring. "The land.....is nearly level," wrote Lewis Cass, "the streams.....are in many places interrupted with fallen timbers and other obstructions which cause the water to spread extensively. In all the wet seasons of the year the surface is inundated for many miles. The passage of a wheel carriage is physically impracticable and for hours in succession the water will reach the saddle skirts of a horseman. As the season advances, and the rains cease, the waters gradually subside, but the mud becomes deeper and heavier. The labor of traveling is almost intolerable to the horse and rider."

Those who passed through the Black Swamp from the south along the route of Hull's trace received a somewhat different impression. There were fewer streams to be crossed and there were occasional treeless or almost treeless areas, mostly known as wet prairies. "The water was from one to three feet deep, the grass from three to eight feet high." There were also several sandy ridges crossed by Hull's trace. Sand banks in different places led to the inference that the surface of the lake "formerly stood some forty or fifty feet above its present level....." Aside from the treeless areas found in association with the sand ridges, the swamp forest prevailed and was identical to that growing along the east-west road. The average slope of the land throughout was only about four feet per mile and locally even less. The Black Swamp was truly a wilderness greater in extent and degree than any previously experienced by most of the emigrants from the more settled East.

More scientifically, the Black Swamp was a product of the final spasms of glaciation. With the retreat of the ice front moraines were deposited, and the ancestors of the present Great Lakes were born in newly scoured basins. The work of erosion has not yet erased the moraines and beach lines left by the glacier and glacial lakes. Less than 100 years ago, the Black Swamp still marked the most level portion of the lacustrine plain formed by the retreating lakes. The limits of the Black Swamp were set primarily by the beaches of Lakes Maumee and Whittlesey together with the peculiar drainage pattern which

followed the melting of the glacier. Sand bars, spits, and even small rocky islands (formed in part by limestone outcrops), together with the sandy beaches, remained after the water's subsidence to lend some variety to the otherwise almost featureless lake plain. The sandy products of wave action, which seldom contribute more than ten feet to the relief of the plain, may be considered prominent only because the region as a whole is so flat.

The Black Swamp was notorious for the size and quantity of its mosquitoes, rattlesnakes, and wolves. In summer the inhabitants were plagued with malaria and "agues" and in the winter they suffered from cholera and influenza. So widely known were the hazards of the Black Swamp that one prospective job applicant refused an offer to work as a printer in the area saying; "I want to work, but I could not think of risking my life on the Maumee River. They tell me they have ten funerals a day there and not enough people to bury the dead."

Nevertheless, by the mid-1830's, the tempo of emigration had increased. The canals reaching northwestern Ohio were nearing completion. The canal workers lived in crowded and filthy tents. There were epidemics of smallpox, typhoid, and pneumonia. Such conditions, of course, often made it difficult to get or keep construction gangs. Northwestern Ohio had left a bad impression on a large number of potential settlers, and the reputation for unhealthiness which the region acquired was not easily erased.

In 1840, northwestern Ohio began to fill up from east to west. However, the fact that Hancock County contained nearly twice as many people as Wood County, which lay directly north within the Black Swamp, indicates the extent to which the Black Swamp caused settlement to detour around it. While the canals did aid in progress of northwestern Ohio as a whole, they were relatively ineffective in improving the status of the Black Swamp.

And just as canals were being heralded as the cure to the region's isolation and backwardness, similar claims were being made for the railroads that were being proposed in that part of the state. In 1839, before either the canals or the railroads were completed, a Wood County farmer bitterly complained of the lack of wagon roads, saying that people had their heads too stuffed with canals, railroads and the like to find room for minor improvements such as roads.

"The most important business of the pioneer was living." To live he had to wage war with the surroundings; trees had to be felled, underbrush cleared, stumps removed, and predatory animals killed. A cabin must be built, the soil tilled, crops planted, and so on. The magnitude of the pioneer's labor rightly fills us with awe.

For the pioneer who selected land within the borders of the Black Swamp, the effort required to live and get along was even greater. His land was either wholly or partially covered by water except for a short part of the year. The soil was heavy, sticky clay. The insects were so bad that the settler often had to wrap himself in heavy clothing despite the heat. Oxen had to be used instead of horses, for the mud, brush, and insects were too much for the latter. Finally the crop was planted only to have the excessive moisture cause the wheat and oats to "overgrow, fall down and blast, and sometimes rot before harvest time."

Having conquered the elements, however, the settler still was faced with problems. How was he to successfully drain his land? Where was he to have his grain milled, and where was he to find a market for his surplus? The problems of drainage and isolation had to be solved if the Black Swamp was ever to become more than a wilderness.

The population throughout northwestern Ohio increased considerably in the decade 1850-60 but the greatest numerical increase in the population density occurred outside the borders of the Black Swamp. Exceptions to the above appeared in areas adjacent to the canals where they passed through or near to the Swamp.

It is worthy of note that no part of Paulding County lay further than twelve miles from a canal; yet the numerical increase in the density of population in Paulding was considerably less than that in any of the other counties. The Black Swamp covered all of Paulding County. The six townships in Paulding which lay along the canals added as many as twenty-three people per square mile to their population from 1850 to 1860, while none of the six interior townships added more than four people per square mile.

Drainage is the real key to the settlement of the Black Swamp. Progress could have been greatly advanced if the settlers only knew more about the art of drainage. An early observer wrote; ".....a correct knowledge of the uses and influences of drainage has but rarely been possessed by any of our farming population, which is made up principally of emigrants and descendants of emigrants from the more hilly and mountainous states, or from like rolling countries of Europe....."

The farmer's early drainage practices consisted of plowing his fields into narrow bands separated by dead furrows to catch the excess water. Ideally, he would also have a ditch leading away from his field, but often this meant emptying water on a neighbor's farm. "Neighbors could not always agree; in fact in a mixed settlement of Germans, English, and Yankees (characteristic of northwestern Ohio) they seldom would agree or sacrifice a jot or tittle of their own for another."

It soon became apparent that open ditches and furrows were not in themselves adequate for successful drainage of the swamp. Underdrains were also needed; but there were no nearby tile factories, and when such factories first appeared on the scene their product was too expensive for most farmers. The farmer improvised by laying saplings or stones in a trench and covering them. Such methods were unsatisfactory because the underdrains soon deteriorated. Wooden underdrains were a later improvement which came into wide use. These were constructed by nailing two boards together into a "V" which was then inverted and placed into the trench. Such underdrains were supposed to last from ten to fifteen years.

The first tile were handmade and horseshoe shaped, having no bottom. Meeting the demand for cheap tile, it was soon discovered that there was abundant clay beneath the Black Swamp suitable for tile manufacture, and such clay was seldom more than a foot or two beneath the surface. In 1870 there were only five tile factories in the Black Swamp counties. Nine years later there were eleven in Putnam County alone, manufacturing 80,000 feet of tile during the season.

"The pioneer was of necessity a woodsman before he could be an agriculturist." Lumbering began in northwestern Ohio in the canal era and was augmented in the railroad era, the end of the former overlapping the beginning of the latter. Lumbering aided drainage operations, and the railroads helped speed drainage by aiding lumbering. In the 1860's the railways of Ohio consumed one million cords of wood annually for fuel alone and an unknown quantity for ties. In Paulding County the railroads were credited with having "made the timber worth more money now (ca. 1884) than the land was worth four years ago.

In Paulding County, where the swamp forest was densest, wood was made into charcoal for the smelting of iron ore at Cecil and Antwerp. The ore was shipped from Lake Superior to Toledo, whence it went by canal to the furnaces, which were erected in 1864-65. The furnaces were closed by the mid-1880's, and Paulding County lost its chance of being a center of heavy industry; however, timber was still abundant enough in 1886 to support fifteen stave factories.

Second in importance to lumbering at first, but destined to surpass it before the turn of the century, was the tile industry in northwestern Ohio. In 1880 there were more than fifty tile factories in the Black Swamp region alone. Not only was the demand for tile great, but it was an increasing demand. The farmer discovered that by decreasing the intervals between his underdrains he got better drainage. This meant using more tile in addition to replacing old tile, and it is still going on.

It was a combination of clearing the forest and draining the land which most completely transformed the Black Swamp into a vast new farmland. The farmer perpetuated the transformation, for the soil was too fertile to allow it ever again to give birth to the forests which once covered it.

A noted historian, Henry Howe, was commissioned by the State of Ohio to compile a record in 1846 of his travels to each of the respective counties and observe the conditions and populace there. Forty years later, he repeated this circuit and recorded the changes that he found. His comments about Paulding County and the Black Swamp are repeated here in part, probably the most authentic and descriptive observations one could ever find.

"This county is all within the Black Swamp tract and is almost everywhere to the eye dead level. The country roads having no obstacles to surmount are laid out through the woods with which the county is mostly covered, straight as an arrow, and the traveler over them can see immense distances on almost any road over which he may be passing. This with the wilderness aspect of the county strikes one with peculiar emotions.

"The county has no basin. Every acre is drainable. There is no boggy or swampy land. Where drained, it is solid and every acre can be drained and cultivated. They are beginning to tile extensively and many tile factories are scattered over the county."

This obvious progress in taming the land sharply contrasts with Mr. Howe's remark during his 1846 visit; "A stranger was making some invidious comparisons

in regard to the Black Swamp lands when a resident retorted by saying, "Why, we do what you cannot. We raise two crops upon them." "How's that?" asked the other, "it can't be possible." "Yes," rejoined he, "one of ice and the other of frogs!"

Further comments of Mr. Howe during his second visit follow:

"As an illustration of the general water-like flatness of the Black Swamp region, one on a clear night can stand near the depot at Defiance and see the headlight of the locomotive just after it emerges from the curve and is coming east at the west end of the straight line which is the water tank, two and a half miles west of Antwerp and is twenty-three miles away! Other places in the country have longer stretches of railroad line but inequalities of grade prevent such a long vision."

On December 8, 1886 at Paulding, he wrote; "I came to this place this morning from Cecil, six miles by rail and have had a very interesting day. This is about the wildest county in Ohio. It is a new county, but is rapidly improving; has doubled in population in the last eight years. The town is emerging from the forest and has a very primitive, woodsy look.

"The place is girt around with the grand primitive forest, waiting its turn to sink beneath the labor of man. The single trees that are left and stand scattered around in the town, like sentinels on duty, have the peculiar look of trees grown in the forest of the Black Swamp, where they run up like bare naked poles with their spreading limbs and tufts of foliage on top, to welcome the sunlight and the shower.

"The place pleases me beyond measure; carries me back to the aspect of the new places I have travelled through on old Pomp (in 1846), when much of Ohio was a new country like this. And the people are filled with the same good spirit then so largely seen, which comes to settlers in a new rapidly developing country. They already halloo because they see their way out of the woods and a bright chance for themselves and boys and girls after them. The newcomers are crowding in inquiring for land improved and timbered, and then they buy and go into the interior and erect the old-time log hut, level the forest and drain the land.

"The great obstacle to the settlement of the county has been the immense amount of fallen timber, which clogs up and stops the flow of water. The early settlers were fairly starved and drowned out; the ground was so wet they could not raise anything. An old surveyor, running a line for a state road from Greenville in Darke County into Williams County, on entering Paulding made a note in his survey-book: "Water!-----Water!-----Water!-----tall timber!-----deep water!----- not a blade of grass growing, nor a bird to be seen."

One last comment from Mr. Howes' notes in 1886 appears appropriate as written when leaving Paulding by rail going to Van Wert: "...have stopped at a clearing in the woods called Latty, three miles below. This railroad, the "Cincinatti, Jackson and Machinaw," (sic) runs through the wildest part of the State parallel with and a few miles only from the Indiana line. It has in the region no through travel. I am on a freight train with a caboose attached. It goes only about six miles an hour, making many stops."

Between 1880 and 1900, settlement entered the climax stage in the Black Swamp. During this period the Black Swamp and northwestern Ohio ceased to be considered a region apart from the rest of the state.

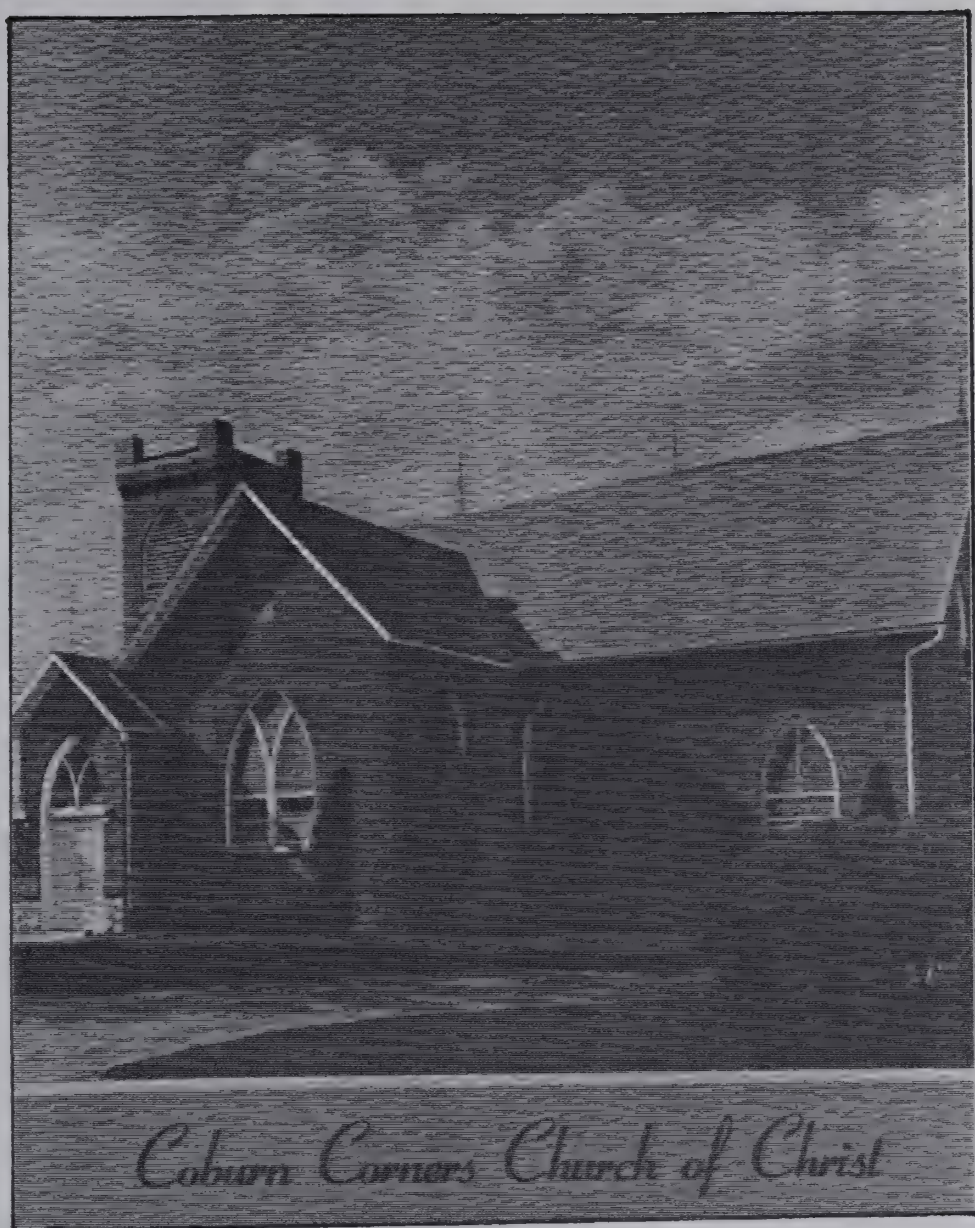
The Black Swamp has been so transformed that an observer would be hard-pressed to estimate its former extent. The Black Swamp lands are dominantly rural but urban and industrial encroachments may be found radiating a short distance out from Toledo. Within the region one can recognize from the profusion of drainage ditches that here is land that was formerly ill-drained; beyond that the unaided eye would not easily discern any pronounced regional distinctions.

In summary, a vigorous transformation of the natural landscape has taken place in northwestern Ohio. A vast swamp which formerly dominated the pattern of roads and villages has disappeared leaving in its wake a fertile and productive segment of the Corn Belt. The land is criss-crossed with railroads and highways where once only Indian trails broke through the wilderness; yet the principal cities -- Port Clinton, Fremont, Tiffin, Fostoria, Findlay, Delphos, Van Wert, Fort Wayne, Defiance, and Toledo -- still persist on the periphery of what was once a swamp.

It was inevitable that the long and difficult struggle to overcome the Great Black Swamp would leave some visible traces of the measures taken to achieve this goal.

The underground drains cannot be seen of course. However, clearly visible is the network of open ditches often having a width of 20 feet or more and depths to ten feet that had been originally provided to carry away surplus water from the fields in order to make them arable and protect the crops under cultivation. Their size can be likened to that of the Erie Canal whose traces also are readily apparent today in many places along highway US-24 from Maumee, Ohio to New Haven, Indiana. In fact, the casual observer may understandably confuse vestiges of the canal with the ditches bordering the fields along parts of this route. The presence of the ditches today, nearly a century after their creation, not only reminds us of their earlier importance; without them, it is conceivable that the relentless forces of nature might endeavor in time to re-establish the Great Black Swamp or some modern-day version of it.

This account seems to make it abundantly clear that the Great Black Swamp presented a truly formidable barrier to the pioneers wishing to settle in Indiana and tended to divert immigration away from the northern part of the state. There was a comparatively easy path for the overland immigrant skirting the southern reaches of the Swamp and many understandably followed this easier route. It is no wonder then that those early settlers arriving in DeKalb County, Indiana in the mid-1830's and later were confronted with an undisturbed wilderness, rugged and somewhat swampy so as to be less than hospitable, and barren of people except the Indians that continued to abide there pursuing their way of life and primitive customs.



Coburn Corners Church of Christ

Organized in 1837 as the first church in DeKalb County, Indiana, the congregation initially had no regular meeting place and for the ensuing 24 years attended weekly services at a member's home or a public place such as a school. In 1861, a humble structure was erected on land donated by members of the Coburn family, hence the name "Coburn Corners."

The initial church structure had two doors opening to the south, one for men and one for women. There were four windows on the east and west sides and a small raised platform between the doors which held the pulpit and a few chairs. There was no basement nor classrooms and heat was supplied by two stoves. A small steeple above the entrance doors proclaimed this to be God's house. Later the east door was eliminated and the platform extended to the east wall to make room for a choir loft.

The building was extensively remodeled in 1903, turning it 90 degrees on its foundation and adding wings to increase the capacity and provide added classrooms. A basement was constructed to accommodate a Sunday School, facilities for a kitchen, and a furnace for heating. The frame building was then veneered with burned brick to enhance its durability and appearance.

A final major renovation was made in 1955 modernizing and improving various areas of the facility and also adding a baptistry, new adult classrooms, and increased parking space. These changes were viewed as the ultimate that possibly could be done to improve the existing structure due to space and other limitations.

When conditions dictated the absolute necessity of further improvements, the hard choice was made to dismantle the original structure and replace it with an entirely new building which was completed and dedicated on 24 June 1979. Only memories now remain but the ties of the former church building remain strong in the hearts of many touched by its presence in years gone by.

HISTORY OF THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

This first account of the Church of Christ at Coburn Corners was written by John F. Coburn for the Reunion held February 17, 1876.

Some time in the year 1835 Elder Benjamin Alton of Trumbull Co., Ohio made his way to northeastern Indiana and entered 40 acres of land near the St. Joseph river comprising what is now a part of the farm of H. H. Hoisington (later the Roy Maxwell home).

About this time or soon afterwards, Asher W. Coburn and John F. Coburn, two brothers, also of Trumbull Co., acquaintances and religious associates of Elder Alton, found their pecuniary means amounting to a few hundred dollars each, so they determined to try their fortunes in a country of cheap homes.

Asher first rode through the country, returned, and reported that there was plenty of land to be had directly from the U. S. Government at \$1.25 per acre; so they loaded a lumber wagon with goods, attached two yoke of oxen, while their father with his two-horse wagon took the two families of a wife and three children each and also some additional goods, and they started west. The journey began late in January and ended early in March of 1836. It was a trip of about 250 miles.

It is not for us to recount in this place the trials, difficulties and hindrances on the road or after they got here; they were here and each in possession of land enough for a good farm which bore the stamp of permanent settlers. Their success was soon known in the land of their former homes and soon others followed, among them the two Abel's (Daniel and Homer), James Hadsell, Samuel Headley and others.

Before the Fall had far passed, Elder Alton was here with his family. The religious meetings were soon started with Elder Alton the leader by common consent.

The meetings thus commenced have continued with very little interruption 'til the present time. They resulted in the formation of a church called the Church of the Deciples of Jesus Christ. The Christian Church is the name more generally received at this time, but there was much dispute on whether the term Christian was not a nickname given by their enemies in the days of the Apostles as the Campbellites are known to be now, but that doubt is now laid aside.

The precise time in which this Church was organized has been for a few months back a matter of dispute. Our record says it was in February, 1836, but was an impossibility as at that time there was but one of the constituents of the Church in the county, Mrs. Nancy Babcock. If the Church was organized in 1836, it was late in the year but if it was in 1837, it was in February. This is probably the truth.

The individuals that constituted this first Church were: Benjamin Alton, Fanny Alton, Lorenzo Alton, Benjamin Alton, Jr., Nancy Babcock, James Hadsell, Asher W. Coburn, Hannah Coburn, John F. Coburn, and Minerva Coburn. Eleven in all. Of those, a separate account will be given.

Benjamin Alton was born February 22, 1799 and at that time was 38 years old, in the full vigor of early middle life. He probably preached the first sermon that was ever preached in DeKalb County and this church was probably the first of any denomination in the county. Benjamin entered into the work of establishing the Christian Religion that in the form that the Deciples had already learned to consider the exact scriptural form without any mixture of human plans, with earnestness and energy, not confining himself to one location but going through the country from East to West and from North to South. He did much more than any other man to establish a Christian influence in the northern part of Indiana and the adjoining parts of Ohio. His stay, however, was not lengthy; in about ten years he sold out and moved to Michigan and from there soon after to the vicinity of Wabash in this state where he later died on April 7, 1847 having survived his wife fourteen days. His children have all at one time or another been members of this church.

Fanny Alton, wife of Benjamin Alton, Sr., his associate in all his cares and labors, was a woman of good character and intelligence and possessed a happy faculty of expressing herself whether in writing or speaking. She accompanied him to Wabash and died March 23, 1847.

Lorenzo Alton as a boy came with the family having already been baptized on a profession of faith in Christ and became one with us in our organization, but on becoming a man he soon found a home outside our limits and disappeared from our acquaintance. He died on September 28, 1857.

Benjamin Alton, Jr. was the second son of Benjamin and Fanny, and like his brother came to this place having already a standing among Christians. He took a place among the original constituents of the church. He became a man and married among us to Sally Coburn and was for many years a help to the cause of Christ here in Hicksville where he lived for several years; returning in 1861, he enlisted in the Army and served about a year in the war of the rebellion, then came home in 1865 and moved his family into Nawaygo Co., Michigan where he died in the year of 1875.

Nancy Babcock was the first of the eleven in the neighborhood. She was also from Trumbull Co., Ohio and came with her husband and family in 1835, the year before the others, and settled on the farm now occupied by Nelson Scholes (and later Mr. Ward). It was on the lowlands near the river where they remained but a few years when her husband sold out and went out of the neighborhood and soon died. She married twice after that and died some years later.

James Hadsell is the next one on our list. He was born February 29, 1828. He came to this place in the early Fall of 1836 and settled on the farm occupied by Jonathan Shull (Mrs. Eva Shull). He brought with him his young wife but no children. He was soon marked for usefulness and in little more than a year was chosen as one of the overseers of the church and then soon after that was chosen as an Evangelist, which is the last position he has ever occupied. After a few years in this county, he obtained a wider range visit-

ing different parts of this State and other States during the most of which time his family was here; but in the year 1865, he removed his family to Kendallville in Noble County where he remained eight years and then came to Waterloo, also in this county, where he now (February 4) lingers apparently on the border of the grave.

He once represented this county in the State legislature and in various ways has been honored by his fellow citizens to an extent considerably beyond the lot of the average citizen.

His children have all obeyed the Gospel and all but one or two have at some time been members of this church. His wife came into the neighborhood as a member of the Freewill Baptist church but after a year or two, gave her membership in with us and remains a firm Christian.

Samuel Headley, usually marked "2nd" to separate him from his uncle of the same name, came into the neighborhood some years later and was useful as a member of the church. He came from Trumbull county to this place, a widower, and was one of the original members and one of the three who yet survive.

He taught school in the neighborhood in the Winter of 1836 or 1837, which probably was the first school taught in the county. He was for several years a member with us, part of the time an overseer as will be seen in its proper place, but his location has been largely in Newville and places farther off so that we have enjoyed his society and assistance less than was desirable.

Asher W. Coburn is next on our list. His coming to this county with the three others that remain to be spoken of is already related. His stay has been uniform. While all the rest have moved from place to place more or less, he has never moved except from a poorer home to a better one on the same farm and his history and the history of the church are identical, and his services in the church will be mentioned in the proper place. After the death of his first wife, he was near two years a widower and then married Susan Shull, widow of the late Daniel Shull who had been dead several years. His children early embraced Christianity and two of them retain their places. One is dead.

In the year 1872 while quietly engaged in husking his corn and enjoying a healthy, happy old age, he was suddenly stricken with paralysis and with difficulty reached the house. He rallied and was able to attend to his business for more than a year but on the first day of July, 1874 he was taken with fever from which he could not be rallied. He lingered until the 10th of July and died. His widow is with us and shares our sympathies.

Hannah Coburn, wife of Asher W. Coburn, shared more largely most of the hardships of a frontier life. She had poor health but great energy. She soon became known through the newly forming settlements as a woman of uncommon skills. As there were no doctors to be had, she was sent for from distances of 10 or 12 miles more or less and if it was possible to go, she would never refuse.

She has been known to rise from a bed of sickness, sometimes even in the night, and ride several miles to wait on a patient until her services could be dispensed with, then return to the care of her own young family. It seemed strange

that she could endure so much but she did and even more than can be imagined. She was so keenly alive to the suffering of the afflicted that when she heard of them, she could not rest until she was by their side administering to the wants and needs of the sick. She entirely forgot herself until they were relieved.

Through all this time, that foul disease consumption was slowly but surely preying upon her. The time came at last when the relief she had so often administered to others could not be administered to her. On September, 1857 she died. She died as she had lived, a good Christian.

Minerva Coburn is the next to mention. Her history is so much like my own that I approach it with delicacy. She was born October 1, 1807 and baptized about the time she was 21. Married November 25, 1830, came to this county as before stated in the early part of 1836. She shared with pleasure the hardships of a frontier life looking forward hopefully to the time when our little means would grow to a competence here as they could not in an older county. When I was called upon to take charge of the records of our county, her quick and keen discernment of legal matters was invaluable. But her career was short. In the Fall of 1840, while she, her husband, and daughter were all suffering with chills and fever with no doctor, no nurse, except as some neighboring woman would leave her own family and run in for a minute or two and do what she could then hurry back again, Minerva was siezed with congestion of the brain. For this there was no help, and on the 8th of October, 1840 she died. She was the first of the eleven to be called away by death.

It only remains to speak of myself, the last and most delicate of the whole. I was born July 22, 1806 and, of course, shall have completed my seventy years next Summer if I live until that time. It was on the day that I was thirteen and a half years old that I gave myself to God by a public profession of religion. My connection was with the Baptist. The reformation which we plead had not then commenced; but when we moved to this place it was pretty well matured and firmly established. To establish it in this place became the work of my wife, myself and our associates as above mentioned.

But changes awaited us of which we had no conception. DeKalb County was only a name; it was not yet organized. An act for that purpose was passed the next Winter and in the Summer of 1837 was carried into effect, on which occasion I was called away from our church and home to take charge of the public records of the county, or rather to establish such records for, of course, I had to begin at the very beginning. There was neither book nor building to begin with.

In the Winter of 1841-2, I returned to the neighborhood and in the course of the year was chosen as overseer upon the resignation of James Hadsell. On the 9th day of February, 1855, I was called upon by the church to engage in preaching the gospel. This new responsibility I found a heavy one and met discouragements and embarrassments that I had not prepared for and once or twice offered to give up the appointment; but being encouraged by the church, I continued until this day to labor as a field opens for me. My field has been a narrow one, laboring at home and in neighborhoods near, and leaving it to others to reach more extended lines.

The offices of the church: Evangelists, bishops, elders, overseers, deacons.

Benjamin Alton came to this place already accredited as an Evangelist and well he sustained that relationship while he remained with us.

I find no record of the time when James Hadsell was appointed to the work of an Evangelist but it must have been about the year 1830. His career has been sufficiently traced.

John F. Coburn was the third Evangelist; the second originally selected by this church. As already stated, he was selected February 9, 1845 being then in the 39th year of his age. Beginning late, I do not propose to retire early if God gives me strength and a field for activity.

Cyrus Alton, youngest son of Elder Benjamin Alton, was born January 4, 1835; baptized - - -; appointed an Evangelist April 7th, 1861, but being very young his appointment was limited to one year. The troublesome times of the Civil War which immediately followed involved delicate and difficult questions and when the year was up, it was thought that silence was the better course; but on March 26th, 1865, the appointment was renewed and made permanent. His career to this time has fully vindicated the action of the church. We cease to enjoy his society and labors but his name will ever be dear to his relatives by blood marriage and his many friends.

From the teachings of the scriptures of the New Testament, we understand that the office of Bishop, Elder and Overseer are one and the same office, that they belong to each individual church; that a fully organized church should have a plurality of them and it is found that in many churches frequent changes become a necessity. In this church we have found it a convenience to make the selection for a year at a time. Under these circumstances, any extended account of the Overseers and Deacons would be tedious and we shall merely mention the different Overseers as they have taken their places from time to time.

Benjamin Alton, just as we have said, then James Hadsell. John F. Coburn was chosen about the year 1842 though no mention is made in the record. Samuel Headley 2nd was chosen in 1843 and again in 1846. Benjamin Alton (it must have been Benj. Alton 2nd) and John H. Coburn in 1849; Thomas Ashley Sawyer in 1850 (I remember that they were contemporaries). Lorenzo Dawson comes in as Overseer in 1847. Daniel Shull in 1851.

George W. Wilmot and Russel G. Coburn came in together in July, 1856; reappointed in 1857. Lemuel Flint was appointed Overseer in 1852 and still retains his position, being much the longest that anyone has served. In 1862, Geo. W. Wilmot and Benj. Alton came in as Overseers together and in 1863 Benj. Alton and Samuel G. Flint in like manner. In 1867 the name of Henry Milliman first appears as Overseer, and in 1871 that of Byron A. Hadsell. In 1873 Asa Hall; James M. Milliman; John Murphy. In 1874 the present officers were chosen; namely: Samuel Flint, John Murphy, J. M. Milliman, Overseers. David Andress and John Scholes.

It had been my intention to collect the names of the Deacons as I have those

of the Overseers but I find it would be impossible. But I will say that they would be in almost every case the same persons. The various persons selected having taken turns in the cares and duties of the church.

Nothing more remains but to give a general history of the progress of the church and that can be done in a few words. Composed of young, earnest, inexperienced and impulsive persons, it is not surprising that at first they encountered difficulties and to some extent disagreements which it required time, painstaking to overcome; but they were overcome and for more than half of the last part of the time a continual course of peace and harmony and brotherly love has marked the career of the church.

'Tis true we have had our sorrows. We have had coldness and backwardness; we have seen members flagging and falling away and even abandoning their profession. Others whom we could ill spare have moved away and left more who could thoroughly fill their places. And death, too, has done its part to rend the church as well as hearts. But we have seen blessings from Heaven too. New recruits have come in to fill the place of those who have gone, and we start off this centennial year of our nation's existence with cheerful and joyous hearts and hopes of a continual usefulness and happiness.

During its existence, this church has employed four different Evangelists from abroad to labor steadily with us: Moses Bonham for two years; R. Ransom for one year; T. P. Sutton for between two and three years; and R. Faurot for part of a year and has had much occasional assistance.

The whole number of members that have belonged to the church first to last is about 330.

The number now belonging is 103.

(The foregoing was not taken from the original manuscript but a typewritten copy prepared for a Dedication Service held on September 25, 1955. This is mentioned only as a word of explanation in the event that variations are found if compared to the initial text. CEB)

A HISTORY OF THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

AT

COBURN'S CORNERS

DeKALB COUNTY, INDIANA

1836

1937

Walter H. Coburn

(This second review of the Church's history offers further details about the early years as well as information regarding events that transpired during the interval 1876-1937. CEB)

The earliest record of the church at Coburn Corners is found in a leather bound, plain ruled notebook with a leather slide fastener. On the outside are lettered the words "Church Record Book." The earliest writing is in ink now faded brown but still legible. In later entries the ink is still black and easy to read. The last entry is in pencil. The date of the first entry is not known. The oldest date must have been after March 5, 1838 for it was written after the changing of the name of the township from DeKalb to Concord. This occurred on the date given above. It was probably written before July 1, 1846, for a revision is made of the roll at that date. The last entry was made in 1890.

The church book now used was opened as a record of church meetings in 1915 although the indications are that the rolls were kept from 1890. Just what happened to any records kept in the intervening years is not known. This is unfortunate but since many are still living who were active in the work during those years we have a memory record for the time.

We do not know who wrote the first entries. The only officer named was the Bishop. If the clerk or secretary was named it would probably be safe to name him as the writer. There is just one clue. Benjamin Alton Sr. is the last named male adult. This would be the natural order if he were the writer.

We quote the first entry as follows:

"A record of the origin and proceedings of the Church of the Disciples (writer's spelling) in Concord Township formerly called DeKalb. (This township is now divided. The Alton home was in what is now Concord. The "Corners" are in Spencer.)

"In the year of our Lord one thousand and thirty-six, a few disciples having moved into the township from Trumbull Co., Ohio, facing (or possibly 'feeling') their obligation to God to keep his institutions and commandments and to exhibit Christianity as far as was in their power, met accordingly at the

house of Benj. Alton and formed into that order which we believed the scriptures require in the month of February 1836."

The date of the organization is a point of controversy. In the history of the church written in 1894 for the anniversary, the date is given as February 17, 1837. It is certain that the date of February 17, 1836 is incorrect for the first settlers did not arrive here until March of that year. The History of DeKalb County states that James Hadsell arrived here on March 1, 1836. John F. and Asher W. Coburn entered their land on March 9, 1836. Wilmot P. Coburn, the son of John F., tells us that his father gives the date as given by Russell Coburn. The second entry of an annual meeting records the election of James Hadsell as bishop in a meeting of March, 1838. There is no entry for 1837 except that at the top of a page following the roll of charter members this date heads a list of names of members received. Winifred Coburn Hart states that her grandfather Charles Coburn said that when he came to the neighborhood with his father in the Fall of 1836, services were being held in various homes.

Among the names of those received into membership in 1837, Charles' name appears with that of his father Ebenezer and brother Russell G. If these men came in the Fall of 1836 and the church was organized in 1837 why are they not charter members? Charles Coburn may be mistaken in the date of their arrival for their land was entered on August 15, 1837. We believe that the date February 17, 1837, is the correct date. The date '1836' for a year later is a natural mistake as any letter writer will testify.

In the history by R. G. Coburn, we read:

"The Christian Church at Coburn's Corners was organized on the 17th day of February in the year 1837 by Elder Benjamin Alton, who was the first minister of the Gospel to locate in DeKalb County and who preached the first sermon ever preached in that county, and the church here at Coburn's Corners was the first church of any denomination organized in DeKalb County.

"It was organized in the house of Brother Alton, a little log cabin, about 16 x 20, one and one-half miles north of the Corners on the bank of the St. Joe River."

The log cabin stood on the farm now owned by Roy Maxwell just north of the present brick house and near the river.

This movement West is now a familiar story of American progress. They came from the "East" although their East was still the "West" to their fellow Americans along the Atlantic Seaboard. They came to "better themselves" financially. They were the genuine settlers as distinguished from the squatters who formed a ragged fringe as the vanguard of civilization. They sold their farms or other possessions in the East. With a load of one wagon, in the case of these men a pretty poor wagon, and perhaps some driven cattle, the move was made.

The Northern part of Indiana was not settled although the State was twenty

years old. The reasons for this do not properly belong in a local history but for background we give them here. The line of immigration from Pennsylvania was Southwest down the mountain valleys and through the passes into Kentucky and Tennessee. The adventurous New Englander went to sea and furthermore, was cut off from the West by the old settlements along the Hudson. When the Connecticut Reserve became known, the New Englanders started West. The settlement at Coburn's Corners was an extension of this new Westward movement.

For the reasons given above, Northern Indiana was an almost unbroken wilderness, interspersed with small prairies when the tide of immigration swept over it in the 1830's. In 1835, Asher W. Coburn made a trip to the county to select land for settlement. Probably he first visited the land office in the village of Ft. Wayne and journeyed up the river. He made the selection along the left bank. Because of his selection, the little group came in 1836 to their new homes. The first few months were undoubtedly spent in strenuous toil. Land must be cleared for corn for bread. Cabins must be erected. It is said that a cabin for Asher W. Coburn was the first built because of the frail health of his wife. This cabin stood across the road and little north of the Cad Shull home. The old apple tree in the field stood near the house. By the Spring of 1837, the most urgent labor was done. In the meeting in the little cabin, the church was organized. In the faded ink of the record, we read that they -

"Unanimously appointed Benjamin Alton as Bishop of the Congregation to preach the word and administer the ordinances of the house of God.

"The number of the names in the origin of the church is as follows:

John F. Coburn	Minerva Coburn (wife of John F.)
Asher W. Coburn	Hannah Coburn (wife of Asher W.)
Sam'l Headly	James Hadsell
Nancy Babcock (wife of Geo. Babcock)	Lorenzo D. Alton (Dow)
Benj. Alton, Junior	
Benj. Alton	Fanny Alton (wife of Benj.)"

We must not think of these as elderly staid men. Alton was the oldest of the group and was thirty-seven, the only one born during the old century. Asher Coburn was thirty-three; John F. was thirty; James Hadsell was only twenty-three; Samuel Headley was a young unmarried man.

The group came from Trumbull County. They had participated in the Current Reformation. With the possible exception of James Hadsell, they had been drawn into the new movement from older groups. The four married men of the group were native to New York State of New England blood. They had participated in the gradual transformation that moved them from former firmly-held and dear faiths to the new conception of the church and scriptures. With this background, with a common conception of the church, they came together and laid the foundation for a century and more of Christian service.

After the common manner, the first preaching was done by local men. Of course, Benjamin Alton Senior was the logical man to select at first. The next year,

James Hadsell although yet quite young, was also set aside for the work of the ministry. John F. Coburn was the next called. It is not known when he was set aside but in the roll of 1846, he is listed as an evangelist. It was a number of years before he was chosen Elder. We here give a brief sketch of the lives of each of these men:

The sketch of the life of Benjamin Alton Sr. is from the "history of the Disciples in the Western Reserve." It is said to have been written by John F. Coburn for the author of the book. At any rate, he is the authority for names and dates, etc. This sketch is found on page 300 ff:

"Benjamin Alton was born February 22, 1799. His early life was spent in Genesee County, New York. At the age of eighteen, he was a zealous exhorter among the Methodists. Falling in with Elder Wm. True of the "Christian Connection," he was baptized by him and continued to preach the gospel as he understood it.

"About the year 1827, he moved to North Bloomfield, Trumbull County. He was a man of marked ability, full size, finely formed and possessed a most winning manner and tender speech. He had been very successful as a revivalist among the "New Lights" or Christians. In the process of his ministry, he became convinced that something was radically wrong in the exhibition of the gospel in these times. Disgusted and discouraged, he determined to hide himself in a "lodge" in the wilderness, and there in the quietness live for his family and Heaven. He settled on lands in the dense forests of Bloomfield. He was fast tending to skepticism and might have been swept into the vortex of infidelity but for an incident which called him forth to the light and to great usefulness.

"About the year 1829, the good people of Bloomfield called a public meeting and resolved to unite in raising a fund to support preaching, and all go to meeting together. It was an effort, after its kind, for a union for religious purposes - a union of diversity. But the union not arising out of previously existing unity - the only condition of a permanent union - it proved of short duration. As the Presbyterians were the most numerous, they were to have the house half the time; the Baptists and the Methodists one quarter, and the Unitarians the other quarter.

"Squire Brown, a prominent citizen, was to secure the Unitarian minister. By him, Benjamin Alton was engaged. Alton, thus called from his coveted retreat, consented to gird himself within the panoply of the gospel. He came regularly to his appointments. He would sit quietly a while in the pulpit and then, rising, proceed to preach without singing or prayer. He usually preached on the prophecies and many became interested in his sermons.

"About this time, William Hayden preached at the centre of Bloomfield and staying overnight with Alton, these two Bible men spent much of the night searching the Scriptures in relation to the ancient gospel,

particularly as it related to the manner in which the apostles preached it and brought convicted sinners to the light and peace of pardon. In the course of the same year, Alton heard Thomas Campbell. In that discourse, he saw the scriptural plan of salvation. Like Saul, the scales fell from his eyes. He forthwith preached the gospel after the models found in the sermons of the apostles.

"The alarm was sounded at once. The people had never agreed to hear a "Campbellite." The union exploded and went to the four winds. The people called another meeting, dissolved the covenant and each party agreed to support its own meeting.

"Alton kept up his appointments. Four or five were baptized this season. In 1830-1, some others were converted. In 1832, Bro. Alton preached half the time and began to attend regularly to the Lord's supper. They were now meeting in a schoolhouse, where they continued several years.

"In 1836, Bro. Alton moved to DeKalb County, Indiana. There he displayed the same zeal which had warmed his own heart and melted the hearts of others. Suffering all the hardships of pioneer life in a densely wooded country, contending with marsh and miasma, he still found time to preach the gospel and plant churches."

In a sketch found in the history of the church by R. G. Coburn, we find that after about ten years Brother Alton moved to Michigan, but later came back to Indiana where he died. His last home was on the banks of the Wabash where he and his wife lie buried. They died only a few days apart in 1847. Of a natural rugged constitution, the incessant labors for the gospel in connection with farming to support himself and family, undermined his constitution. Although he never removed from Indiana, he is known to have made a trip as far west as Nebraska as an evangelist.

As illustrative of the hard conditions under which these men worked, we relate a few stories of his life.

On one occasion, a young man approached him with a request that he perform a marriage ceremony. The young man had the girl but no money to pay the preacher. Like all other pioneers, money to him was almost a novelty. The young man suggested that he could bring a load of pumpkins for pay as he had a fine crop of them. The ceremony was performed and in the course of a few days the happy bridegroom brought the pumpkins.

It is told, on reliable authority, that he was seen on at least one occasion, while talking to a preaching appointment at Hicksville, Ohio, with his feet clad one in a boot, the other in a lace shoe. The journey was then perhaps ten miles because of intervening swamps. The shoe and boot were made on the old last - they would fit either foot. He explained that the mates were worn out. There is another tradition - whether true or not, we do not know - that for seven weeks he journeyed from place to place living in various homes and

preaching where opportunity afforded. During the seven weeks period, he received in money thirty-five cents, or five cents a week. The explanation is there was no money. It was at the sacrifice of such men that the gospel was spread in those times.

The life of James Hadsell is available in a "History of DeKalb County" published in 1885. Like all these histories, it gives a brief sketch of his life consisting of various dry facts that leave the man totally unrevealed. Much of his work was done away from Coburn's Corners so that stories of his work and definite memories of him are not very common.

He was born in Broome County, New York, on February 28, 1813, the child of John and Abigail Hadsell. When he was a boy, his parents removed to Trumbull County, Ohio. Probably they settled in Bazetta since there we first hear of him.

He was probably converted there although there is no record. He was already a Christian when coming to Indiana. His wife was a Baptist and whether he had ever been of that faith can only be conjectured. He was fifteen when the Church of Christ at Bazetta was organized. The "History of the Disciples in the Western Reserve" does not list him as one of the members there but does state that he "originated" there. He was probably a member of the Bazetta church and very likely of the Baptist church which preceded it.

His first work was as a school teacher. He received ten dollars a month for his first salary - but he probably "boarded around." He came to Indiana in 1836 and entered the farm there. He had been married on March 12, 1835. It is interesting to note that the oldest son, Byron, was the second white child born in the county. What the feelings of his young wife were so far away from home at such a time can only be imagined.

Hadsell was first of all a preacher, secondly a farmer; but these active interests did not interfere with active work in other lines. He was a school teacher, served in the state legislature and during the Civil War was active in the recruiting service since he, himself, was neither young enough nor strong enough to serve otherwise.

He was a charter member of the church at Coburn's and was the second man appointed as bishop and when we realize that he was the youngest married man in the beginning organization, we can see that he was a natural leader of men. The one church could not hold him. There are several records of removals by letter of him and his wife but the exact dates cannot be determined. Once he removed to Trumbull County and later returned. He lived in Kendallville and served the church there. Later he organized a church in Waterloo and became its minister. At one time, in order to give his children the advantage of an academy education, he moved to Newville and sent them to the academy founded and directed by Faurot there. He is credited with the organization of the church at Newville. The date of organization indicates that he did this while still a resident at Coburn's.

Death came to him while he was in Waterloo, September 17, 1876. He was carried by his friends to the Alton Cemetery near his first Indiana home and there laid to rest.

He was the father of eight children. These children for a long time were influential in the church, particularly Byron the eldest. Then the grandchildren served but today only one name of Hadsell remains on the church books, a widow of a grandchild. His work still lives there and elsewhere.

We regret that we can tell no stories of his work. Those who remember him testify that he was a preacher who could move men to repentance. Evidently of a restless disposition, he was truly ambitious - desiring to serve his community, his church and his country.

The third sketch is of John F. Coburn. He was born in Ontario County, New York, July 22, 1806. In 1816, his father moved to Trumbull County, Ohio, and settled there in Bazetta Township. The family, like that of the Hadsell's and Alton's, was of New England extraction.

He was baptized on January 22, 1820, and on January 26, with his brother Asher W., was accepted into the Baptist Church which was organized on the day of his baptism. His father, Asher, was the first deacon of the church.

There is no record of his education or even of any movements except that from a paper which is in the writer's possession he states that he was a resident in Warren in 1828. From his son, we learn that he was running a shoe shop there at a later time. It is probable that he was apprenticed there. When Walter Scott made his famous "seige of Warren" he was present. In his manuscript written in 1876, he tells of his vivid memory of the long bony hand of Walter Scott as he told off on his fingers the "steps to conversion."

Thus, he was a part of the unfolding drama of the beginning of the "current reformation." His first reaction was that Scott was preaching dangerous doctrine.

In 1836, he came to Indiana and entered the farm now owned by Garth Shull and the "forty" owned by the Walter Abel estate, just east of the Shull farm. He was a charter member as we have noted.

When the county was organized, he was elected clerk and recorder and for a time lived in Auburn, although he seems to have retained his membership in the Coburn's church. This was in 1837. In 1842, he resigned and returned to the farm. With the exception of a temporary residence in Trumbull County, he lived in the neighborhood until his death although he moved to the Coburn farm on which the church now stands.

His progress in the church is not given. In 1846, the revised roll lists his name first as "evangelist." There is no record of his appointment. It was probably after 1842 owing to his absence previous to that time. In 1865, he was appointed Elder. There is no former record although old residents declare he served earlier in this capacity.

He was married three times. First, to Minerva Trumbull on November 25, 1830. Three children were born to this union. Minerva Coburn died October 3, 1840. On July 11, 1841, he married Alzada Gay who died March 28, 1850. After the death of his second wife, he returned to Trumbull County and there married a

third time, on April 20, 1852. His third wife was Betsy Ann Wilmot. One son was born to this union, Wilmot P., who is the only living child of a charter member of the church.

Although he was expecting to return after a visit, he took his letter from the church and again joined in 1853 upon his return. He was then elected deacon and a little later renewed his license as an evangelist. He died in 1879.

Until his death, he lived on his farm north of the church. For a long time, he was a guiding spirit of the church and a friend to a whole neighborhood. He preached at the Corners as there was opportunity and at other points in schoolhouses or church within easy reach. He was never considered a forceful speaker from the standpoint of oratory. He was known to express regret that he had so little "moving power." One of his hearers who still lives says that the best description of his preaching was that it was "illuminating." His illustrations were from the familiar life of the farm. He was noted for his eccentricities and loved by the whole community. His name to all, many of whom were of no earthly relationship, was Uncle John F. The "F" was originally put in to distinguish him from John H. Coburn.

After his death, he was buried in the cemetery not far from the spot where his co-laborer in the gospel, James Hadsell, lies. His final illness came in the form of apoplexy while he was standing in the pulpit "exhorting."

He possessed a frock coat and top hat but wore them only on formal occasions such as a "yearly meeting" or convention. He clung to the "barn door trousers" as they were called. These trousers were made like the modern U. S. sailor's trousers. He had been presented with a cane or two but preferred a long staff instead. His light at night was a candle lantern. At the risk of spending too much time with this kindly country philosopher and theologian, we tell two authenticated stories which older people love to tell.

At one time, he was preaching in a cabin home. He stood so as to face an open door. Outside the door was the ever-present "swill barrel" which contained kitchen refuse for the hogs. During the sermon a hen flew to the rim of the barrel to peck at the dainties floating on the surface. She ventured to reach too far out and lost her balance and fell in. Uncle John F. noticed her plight and said abruptly, "There's a chicken in the swill barrell." He walked out, removed the hen, returned to his place in the cabin to finish his sermon.

In his later years, his hair became quite thin so that flies worried him as he sat in the church. It was his custom at such times to cover his head with a bandana handkerchief of the brilliant hues of the time. One day he arose to preach and forgot the fly protector. His wife sat in front of him much embarrassed and trying to make him understand what was wrong. After a time, she became desperate and went up to him and removed the handkerchief. As she handed it to him, he said, "So that's what those signs meant. I thought my hair was mussed."

Although Coburn was never known so far as his co-laborers, he exerted a tremendous influence in his community.

It would be pleasant to relate stories of other men of the time but space forbids extension here. We turn from these men to a brief look at the land and task set for them. The first group that arrived found that the land along the river was entered by speculators. Alton seems to have purchased some of this land. The others entered land farther away. Higher land was preferred because it could be prepared for farming simply by clearing. Lowlands must in addition be drained and this was in the day before tile drains were in use.

Farm equipment was scanty. Probably a plowshare was brought, although the wood mouldboard reinforced with strap iron was still in general use. Harrows were made in the shape of a giant "A." Hauling was generally done on a sledge. Household equipment was likewise scarce. Cooking utensils might be brought at first but little else for tables, stools and beds could be constructed in spare time. We need not think that these people were content with such rude surroundings. On the contrary, each year showed better material surroundings until a stage of comfort equal to the farm homes of the east was reached.

The greatest difficulty was in the market. Produce must be hauled to the river on a sledge, there to be loaded on pirogues, dug-outs, and floated to Ft. Wayne. There the Maumee River was available and still later the canals which preceded the railroads. This explains the lack of money and comforts in the early day.

With the immensity of the physical task that lay before the newcomers, in our minds we wonder that they so soon began to consider church and school. Indeed, a candid examination of many communities of the time will soon convince one that such concern was the exception. These men had a definite religious and educational background. They were New Englanders in blood and indeed in training for the Western Reserve was a western extension of New England. Moreover, their religious life had been vitalized by a plea that thrilled them to their very souls. Finally, there came with them a strong Christian and experienced preacher who knew the despair that can come to one who has lost his sense of the presence of God. The church was born, not on February 17, 1837, but in the hearts of worthy men at the preaching of some of the greatest preachers who ever stood in an American pulpit.

During the year of 1837 twenty-two members were added. All but three came from Ohio bringing their letters. Thus, the little group was tripled in membership in the first few months. The next spring witnessed the beginning of the work of James Hadsell. It seems that these men were appointed for life or good behavior. The office was purely congregational however.

In 1839, the church became the recipient of property. Benjamin Alton deeded a portion of his farm in section 18 to be used as a cemetery and church lot. Trustees were appointed as the law required. This place is now the old part of the Alton cemetery which is still owned by the church. The original part is easily distinguished by the lack of plan in burials. There are no defined rows of graves. In it lie the bodies of the older men and women of the community.

In 1840, Mary Hadsell, wife of James, placed her letter in the church, coming from the Baptists. Bishops were added from time to time; John H. Coburn in 1845, Samuel Headley two years earlier.

Another feature of church life was the manner of discipline. At the yearly meeting of the congregation, any of the older members of the congregation were privileged to call to the attention of the congregation certain members who were delinquent. Three members, including Lorenzo D. Alton (Dow) were excluded. Two years later, young Alton was restored. Indeed, that was the usual result of disfellowship. This strictness was probably an inheritance from the Baptists for in many Baptist churches of the time there were more excluded in a given year than there were admitted. At the same time, it must be noted that many things were accepted as definitely sinful that are now at least tolerated by the church.

The church grew slowly but by 1845 there was a revision of the rolls and the number was sixty-three; in 1859 there were eighty-five.

When the Civil War came this neighborhood, like all others, furnished its share of men for the army. It is hard for us today to realize how much the War affected the lives and thoughts of those who remained behind. Many "boys in blue" left for the army during those years. On the church rolls five are marked with these words, "killed in action" or "died in the army." These five were: Benny Robe, Henry Monroe, Harvey Ackley, Edward W. Flint, Edward Rupert. We cannot give a complete list of the men who went away and came back but every person of forty years or more has a distinct memory of the colors, firing squad and bugler, and sometimes the martial band which led the procession for Memorial Day.

The war wrought destruction other than upon the bodies of young men. During the course of the great conflict, feelings were brought to a high pitch of excitement so that sober judgment was swept aside. In the year 1864, we find these words written after the names of two men, "excluded because of war ideas." In all, five people were excluded at this time, perhaps all for this one thing. 1864 was the year of the bitter political campaign between McClellan and the Democratic party against Lincoln and the Union Party. It was exceedingly bitter; all the mistakes of the conduct of the war, the highly wrought feelings of the supporters of Lincoln and the seeming hopelessness of the situation brought destruction of the Christian spirit. Just what the trouble was is not known certainly, but since two of the group are known to have been staunch Democrats it is safe to conjecture that the "war ideas" mentioned was that advocated by the Democratic party, recognition of the Confederacy and a conference looking toward some sort of union with slavery and states rights guaranteed. Of course, the northern victories changed the whole picture and the trouble passed. When we remember that perhaps every family in the church was in some way represented in the active service, we can understand the tension of the church at this time. At least one of these men later became a loyal member and was honored by the office of Elder.

We have had but little to say about the material progress of the church during the years. As we have noticed the church became the owner of the lot occupied by the cemetery early in its history. The deed mentions that it is to be used for burial and church purposes. The original intention was to build a house for worship there but the center of the community was soon seen to be nearer the corner that came to be known as Coburn's Corners. Worship was conducted

for a long time in private houses or schoolhouses. But when the number grew to reach nearly ninety, there was a real need for a separate building. In 1860, the congregation built the "old church" which stood on the site of the present building. It was the usual rectangular shape as the general plan of the time. There were two doors at the front end of the building with the pulpit between them so that the late-comer must run the gauntlet of all the eyes of those present. At a later time, one of the doors was closed and a platform was built to fill in the space between the old platform and the wall. This was used for a choir loft. This building was used until the opening of the twentieth century.

While we are thinking of the old building, it is well to pause for a look at social customs of the day. Clothing was largely homemade although spinning and weaving were being abandoned swiftly by the time of the Civil War. When a family reached the church, the group separated, women and small children entered one door; men and boys entered by the other. Some churches were built with a partition running from the rear to the front but this building was never so arranged. In the winter the older men surrounded one stove, older women the other. The writer's mother used to tell how she was attracted by the elder women sitting in an open square around the stove, each wearing a white bonnet as was the custom or style of the time.

We must also relate that some of the men were addicted to the use of chewing tobacco and that some of them indulged in its use during the church service. Floor and stove suffered in consequence. One old gentleman in particular was accustomed to sitting in a certain spot so that the floor near him was stained brown. Those who knew him testify that he was one of the saintliest of men, patient, quiet, an elder of the church and honoring the office if any mortal can do so.

Changing social customs crept into the church. What a craning of necks and rustles of disapproval must have greeted the first couple who sat down together upon one side of the church. Was it a young man and his sweetheart or a bride and groom? Whoever it was had brave spirits within them. Did young men and women maneuver to sit beside each other at the division line - young man sitting sedately on the men's side and young woman on the other?

There is evidence that attendance upon evening service was greater than today but we must remember that there were more people in the country communities than now, particularly the younger people and that there were fewer places to go. Church services were not only religious events but social events as well. One of the great strengths of the congregation had been its recognition of social needs.

A popular amusement of the time was the literaries as they were called. At stated times during the winter they were held. The custom was to use the schoolhouses which would be filled upon these occasions. There were then two schools in the neighborhood. The North School, or Cheesetown, and the South School, or Coburntown. Programs were arranged usually consisting of music, recitations, debates and papers. The debates and papers as well as other features were conducted for youth and old age as well. Debates followed some of the age old questions or some question of lively interest at the time.

The papers could be of any kind. Sometimes they would be discussion of moral questions. Sometimes they were historical in character. The writer has two of John F. Coburn's papers that tell of neighborhood history. One is a semi-humorous description of an epidemic of the "seven year's itch." Underneath the humor you see the constant realization of the desperate plight of a family stricken with serious illness so far removed from skilled help. Jonathan Shull preserved some which were serious discussions of moral questions.

Sometimes these papers were broadly humorous, particularly those which discussed the life and particularly the character of some person well-known in the neighborhood. The subject was present to enjoy the discussion. He was expected to preserve his good nature. When they aptly distorted the little idiosyncrasies of the individual under discussion, they were sure to be appreciated.

These literaries were useful in development of talents and many communities are trying to revive like community efforts for that reason. Of course, these are modernized.

On one occasion when a program of like nature was being given in the church, Byron Hadsell brought an organ as an aid to the music. He was thoroughly rebuked by individuals and took the instrument out that night to escape public discipline. It was not long, however, until the congregation had surrendered to the innovation. Today, so far have we changed that we use various instruments and at various times more or less complete orchestras are sponsored by the Bible School.

It was not always possible to have a regular preacher present for each service. When this was not possible, the Lord's Supper was spread and attended to by the elder or deacons. This has always been true so that it has been only on extremely rare occasions that communion has not been observed. In the old days, a "Social Service" was held. Some one either by appointment or chance would read a chapter from the Bible and start a discussion by question or statement. The service was strictly informal. Anyone could talk. The only rule was that the Bible was the authority.

Perhaps these were not always on so high a plane as our memory would indicate but it is safe to say that more than one Bible Class in our modern Bible Schools could sit in on these discussions with much profit. As could be expected, the people were of independent minds. The minister might be respected for his learning and ability and for his righteous life but the people had their Bibles in their hands and in their heads and hearts and woe to anyone who taught strange doctrine. Sometimes this resulted in narrow conservatism but the general result was good.

The next revision of the church roll was made in 1874 and the number of communicants was found to be one hundred and two. Three years later at an annual meeting there arose a problem which resulted in the last case of church discipline recorded. We quote from the church record dated February 10th, 1877, "At a business meeting of above date the following action was taken by the Disciple congregation meeting at Coburn's, DeKalb County, Indiana," There

were the names of a number of persons brought before the church for discipline and the name of Howard Northrup taken off the record at his own request and by vote of the congregation. The meeting was adjourned to meet in three months from that day on May 10th, 1877.

"May 10th, 1877, the adjourned of February 10th, 1877 and the following were to be dropped from the Church record." Here follows a list of people who had offended the common understanding of what was fit for Christian life. The story told is that on the first meeting the young people were put on trial but that for the first time they chose to remain defiant. Two of the group still live. Most of them came back into the church, some to take prominent part and to become honored members.

Again we quote from the record: "Record of annual meeting of the church at Coburn's Corners held December 28th in the evening, 1878.

"Meeting called to order by electing J. M. Milliman chairman. Alvenus L. Strong was appointed secretary. House to be kept in order by following named persons for year 1879:

Jan.	B. F. Hoyt	July	G. W. Wilmot
Feb.	Jas. M. Milliman	Sept.	Gustin Flint
March	C. J. Hadsell	Oct.	John Shull
April	B. A. Hadsell	Nov.	J. E. Dermott
May	R. G. Coburn	Dec.	No name given.
June	Nelson Scholes		

"Motion prevailed to appoint committee of R. G. Coburn, Ella Wilmot David Andrews to solicit subscriptions for protracted meeting.

"R. G. Coburn, B. A. Hadsell and John F. Coburn were chosen elders for the ensuing year. B. F. Hoyt and W. Hart were chosen deacons and J. M. Milliman was chosen financial deacon. It was voted to raise a Missionary fund quarterly. Adjourned for one year or to last Saturday of Dec., 1879."

Alvenus Strong, Sec. pro tem
J. M. Milliman, regular secretary

The next year there is the first notice of hiring of a janitor. Adrian Hart was so chosen. However, in previous financial reports there are mentions of payments made to Washington Hart which were probably for work as a janitor.

During these years, it is impossible to tell much about the financial matters of the church. It is known from the memory of many that for long years the pay of the ministry and the maintenance of the church were kept under separate funds so that the record of offerings and disbursements do not show this expenditure. In the earlier days this was very small as would be expected but the church has generally paid equally with those in similar circumstances. If there has been any difference, it is favorable to the church here.

No record has been kept of the separate ministeries. During the earlier years

the ministers who came here were undergirded by the presence of James Hadsell or John F. Coburn, or both. The latter was here during all the time until his death. When no one was serving the church Coburn was always present with his high type of preaching. Those who were called for regular work here are listed as follows by R. G. Coburn: Bonham, Banford, Dawson, Daniel Faurot, Sutton, Leavitt, Bonnell, Sweetman, Teagarden, Oviatt, Jewell, T. A. Hedges, J. A. Thomas, Harris, L. W. Fairfield, J. O. Rose. Coburn's list ends here. The ministers since that time (1894) are listed from memory as follows: John Dunkleberger,Myers, F. A. Thomas, J. A. Brown, A. M. Gillespie, L. W. Spayr, T. A. Manley,Daily, J. N. Scholes, W. H. Coburn. In addition to these, J. O. Rose was called back for two ministries. During these later years, the church has increasingly appreciated the presence of J. N. Scholes.

On account of the meager records for the years 1890 to 1915, it is impossible for us to give a complete record of the leadership. The earlier groups are listed according to the records of their appointment to the office:

Benjamin Alton, Sr. (1837); James Hadsell (1838); John H. Coburn (1845); Lemuel Flint (1852); Geo. W. Wilmot (1856); W. H. Milliman (1869); Sanuel Headley (1848); John F. Coburn (1865); Russell G. Coburn (1856); Lorenzo Dawson (1847); Byron A. Hadsell (1871), the son of James Hadsell; Asher W. Coburn (1852), the son of John F. Coburn; Benjamin Alton, Jr. (1862), the son of Benjamin Alton; James M. Milliman (1873); Asa Hall (1872); John Murphy (1873); William Coburn (1889); J. N. Scholes (1889); M. J. Hadsell (1889). These are all that are listed previous to 1890. In the quarter century intervening between the two records others are known to have served. We try to list them but cannot give dates: M. J. Hadsell and I. S. Hadsell, both sons of Byron A.; H. A. Coburn; Calvin Coburn.

When the new records are given, the following were selected for the year of 1915. Probably all of them served previously: Clyde Hart; Reed Place; Wesley Hart; Saxe Hadsell, grandson of James. Since that time the following have been so honored: Floyd Coburn (1919), grandson of John F.; Claude Laub (1922); Abner Trostel (1922); William Maxwell (1925), he is known to have served earlier but at his own request was relieved of the office; Louis Washler (1931); Bennett Lay (1933); Marvin Poper (1933).

During the history of this congregation three names have been used to designate the office. First, the title was Bishop. Some time near the year of 1850 the title used is Overseer, which is a literal translation. In 1874 the record uses the modern term of Elder. It is not to be thought that the change was in any way official. Indeed these terms are all today understood to be proper but it is altogether a question of usage. This is probably a reflection of a general shift in usage. While in general the office is given to older men, some quite young men have filled it, notably James Hadsell. The office is not so much one of authority among us as it is one of responsibility and trust. In later years at any rate, the minister is considered to be an elder in the local church.

In the first few records of the church there is no mention of deacons. Deacons were selected, for this custom was universal in the church from the first. Generally there were but two appointed at a time.

The first appointment noted is James Hadsell (1846), thus we see that the office of Elder at this time was not considered a lifetime office; Asher W. Coburn (1848); Ezra Dickenson (1848); Samuel Flint (1856); John F. Coburn (1856); Geo. W. Wilmot (1861); Chas. Coburn (1861); Byron A. Hadsell (1862); Cyrus Alton (1863); J. B. Milliman (1865); William Coburn (1864); Nelson Scholes (1865); Asa Hall (1869); Harmon Gee (1871); R. G. Coburn (1871); Washington Hart (1873); John Scholes (1874); David Andrews (1874); Camillus Hadsell (1877); Ella Wilmot (1877); B. F. Hoyt (1879); W. P. Coburn (1889), a son of John F.; Joseph Shull (1889); Charles Tustison (1889); J. E. Dermott (1890). This brings us to the end of the old record.

At the beginning of the new record the following were serving: Ora Quance; H. A. Coburn; Earl Tustison; Fred Hart. Since that time there is listed: William Lenher (1916); Hiram Todd (1916); Merritt Maxwell (1916); Claud Laub (1919); W. F. Maxwell (1919); Meade Baker (1921); Alva Perry (1931); Abner Trostel (1922); Louis Washler (1922); Elmer Volkert (1924); Roy Maxwell (1924); Karl Hart (1926); Glen Hart (1927); Merwin Place (1928); Estel Coburn (1930); Roy Mann (1933); Elwood Hart (1933); George Milliman (1935); Kenneth Coburn (1937), a grandson of John F.

At least two of these have served for notably long periods. Washington Hart was elected in 1873 and served until his death in 1911. W. P. Coburn was elected in 1889 and served for a period of forty years excepting one year when, with two small children in the home, he felt he should be relieved of these duties. At the close of his active service he was made Deacon Emeritus for life.

The present membership of the board is as follows: Elders - J. N. Scholes, Marvin Poper, Claude Laub, Louis Washler, Floyd Coburn, Clyde Hart. The deacons are - Fred Hart, Alva Perry, Claude Mason, Karl Hart, Elwood Hart, Merwin Place, Roy Maxwell, Kenneth Coburn.

This church has not been guilty of receiving without giving. Besides those who went out from the church in various capacities in public school work, elders and deacons in other congregations, there have been several regular ministers. After those mentioned, Cyrus Alton, a son of Benjamin, was ordained and did good work; Edwin R. Coburn, a son of John F. Coburn, was ordained. For many years he served as a "preaching elder" in Mt. Pleasant, Mich. Next, Joseph N. Scholes was called. Brother Scholes served various churches in Pennsylvania and Ohio as well as others. He is quite well known particularly in these states. Since his retirement from a located ministry, he has served as evangelist. He is now living in his home community and is an active elder. Latest to be sent out is Walter H. Coburn, who after serving in Iowa and Oklahoma has returned and is now pastor of the home church. The church expects still others to go.

No church can exist without an educational program, whether the program be formally worked out or developed informally. Like most of the schools of its

size, the work has been confined in a formal way to the Bible School although at times week-day classes have been held.

It is not known just when the Sunday School began but it has been conducted for many years. At first the school was conducted in the warm months but soon it was discovered that a winter school was also successful. Today the school is graded in its lower classes.

It is impossible to give a complete list of Superintendents or even a near complete list as no formal records have been kept of the school. Marvin Poper is the present superintendent.

The original building was found during the -90's to be inadequate so that a movement for a new building was started. As R. G. Coburn says of this house, "It has answered our purpose very well until Brother Rose came among us but he has attracted such crowds that we find it altogether too small and not quite up to his style and now the talk is of a better and larger house which is much needed." This talk finally crystallized into a definite building program.

The old building was turned a quarter way around and wings added to make the present structure. The frame building was veneered with burned brick. A basement was added and as time went on a kitchen fairly well equipped was arranged. The arrangement is not altogether ideal but is better than many. The house is heated with a furnace. The building was dedicated in 1908 by L. L. Carpenter who once attended here when a young man. His long career as a preacher did not begin here but the good people added encouragement to him. Just now the congregation realizes the need of classrooms and baptistry. No doubt this lack will result in a further addition to the building.

When an electric light company built a high power line past the corner, the church subscribed at once for lights. Later the church and furniture has been redecorated.

At the time of the rebuilding program, W. P. Coburn who owned the land upon which the church stood, deeded an acre to the church for a building lot. The land lay idle for some time and finally was used for farming at the request of the trustees. After some discussion, a plan was adopted and the grounds were set out to trees and shrubbery. The trees selected are sugar or hard maple, native elm and Chinese elm. The plan provides for an outside assembly ground with platform and an encircling drive. The whole grounds are outlined with shrubbery. Around the base of the church building shrubs have been planted for some years. Unfortunately, many of the trees died in the drouth but plans are laid for a replanting in the Fall of 1937. An interesting feature of the planting was the dedication of trees by individuals and a permanent list of the donors is on file.

A few years ago, the North School was abandoned and after a time the building was sold to the church. The grounds are intended, when the need arises for a burial ground. The building is used for a community building. Each Summer many family reunions and also the School reunion are held there.

The membership of the church is not so great today as formerly. There are about sixty-seven active members. Some have drifted away, others are loyal Christians in other communities. The decrease of membership is largely due to smaller families. As a matter of fact, the church probably reaches a higher percentage of residents than formerly.

The church is aware of this decrease in membership. Probably the result will be an evangelistic campaign which will reach farther out.

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COBURN FAMILY

We are most fortunate in having available a formal genealogy of this line prepared by George A. Gordon and Silas R. Coburn, published in 1913, which provides detailed information about descendants of the immigrant ancestor, Edward Colburn/Coburn. Some material borrowed directly from this genealogy will be significant to those of his descendants who ultimately came to DeKalb County, Indiana and settled in the community associated with the Coburn name.

It should be noted that the Coburn family name has sometimes been given as Coburne, Colbron, Colebron, Coulborne, Colburne, and Colburn as well as Coburn; the latter becoming the most common form from the time of the third generation.

The Coburn genealogy refers to research in England which failed to produce a direct antecedent in the line; however, a brief mention here of some names encountered seems appropriate.

According to Silas R. Coburn, "The earliest mention of the name is found during the reign of Henry VIII, who became King of England in the year 1509." The name then was spelled Colbarne, the home was in Staffordshire; Edward Colbarne, gentleman, on 6 FEB 1553, was elected a member of Parliament. His will was proved 13 JUL 1568 in the probate of Canterbury. With Edward in Parliament was Sir Philip Draycot and this association of similar names suggests that possibly Edward Colbarne may have been the ancestor of the Dracut family of a century later.

Sir John Colborne, born 1778 at Lyndhurst, Hampshire was an English General; knighted for service at the Battle of Waterloo; given the title of Lord Seaton; Field Marshall in 1860.

Admiral Sir George Cockburn commanded the vessel which conveyed Emperor Napoleon Bonaparte to St. Helena after his defeat at Waterloo.

At Laycock, Wiltshire were the following (possibly in Edward Coburn's line of descent):

John Colborne.

Robert Colborne b. 1583 m. Elizabeth Powell.

Robert Colborne b. 1617 m. Elizabeth Crew.

Thomas (Colborne ?) b. 1646 m. Elizabeth - - - - .

Referring to the known Coburn coat of arms, there is comment, "..... no proof that it was ever issued by any College of Heraldry.... A strong argument in its favor is that copies found in different families were cherished and carefully kept."

There also are references found from time to time that the Coburn's are Scotch or Scotch-Irish in descent and, in fact, some of this name in America did come

directly from Scotland but they were not among the early arrivals. In addition, Coburn is identified in George F. Black's record of surnames in Scotland as a version of "Cockburn."

Research by Isabel Huff Abel (a Coburn descendant and then librarian in the Cleveland, Ohio Public Library) has produced the following commentary:

Cockburn - COBURN Merse, to Roxburgh etc. 13th century. SE of Firth of Forth Lowland.

The Scottish tartans as a system of popular Heraldry only developed fully after Culloden had crushed the Clan System itself from active politics. Like the flow of Jacobite songs, the tartan provided an outlet for national sentiment, after the period of 1746 to 1782 when the kilt and tartan alike were severely prohibited. Thereafter ensued a steady growth of tartans distinguishing the main Scottish clans and families, with a few of the earliest type which had attached rather to districts than to a particular clan. A list is added of the longer established tartans, out of about 500 currently registered with the Lord Lyon King of Arms.

Cockburn pg 84.
Welsh, Welch - Tweedside, 14th century. p 47
from "Scots Kith and Kin, and illustrated map"
Rev. ed. Clan House, 117 Grove St. and 16 Dundas
St., Edinburgh.

Ravages of the Northmen. Pouring in swarms from the northern kingdoms of Denmark and Scandinavia, these pirates, the Vikings, harassed England and the continent almost beyond belief. The English called the Northmen "Danes," although not all their assailants came from that kingdom.....

The epoch of their invasion falls into three divisions:

- I. (789-866) Period of invasion and ravage without settlement.
- II. (866-1003) Period of settlement and conquest in various parts of the country.
- III. (1003-1066) Period of political conquest. (Held all of England from just north of London across to the Severn estuary, leaving only the south of the island under the local rulers.)
 - p 203, Ploetz - Epitome of Ancient, Medieval, and Modern History. 1883.

In the Coburn genealogy it is stated that the names Cockburn, Colborne, Colburn and Coburn are to be found in the histories of Great Britain and Ireland but, ".....however spelt, it is generally agreed by those who have made a study of the name that the English and Scotch pronunciation is Coburn..... There is good reason to believe that the name is not a Saxon but Scandinavian name and that the family came to England with the Danes, that they were sea kings and that the name means either black bear or king's bear. The bear was

a sacred animal with the Danes and has given us a number of names. (Burn means bear.) It is possible that it may be a Scotch name meaning Coldstream, a burn being a small brook; or English relating to an occupation, viz. coal burner."

Edward Coburn is recognized as the progenitor of the Coburn line in America. His parentage, place of birth, and early years are unknown but his early home apparently was in England. Early in the month of September, 1635, the ship "Defence," Capt. Bostock, arrived at Boston having amongst the passengers, Edward Colbourne (reportedly of Wiltshire), whose age is given as 17 years. In the same list appears the name of Robert Colburn whose age is given as 28 years, and they may have been brothers.

One reference is made to Corp. Edward Coburn as being a soldier in the local Military Co. of Chelmsford during the King Phillips War 1676-77, was in command of Colbron's Garrison; also in charge of a garrison 23 JUL 1769 during the King Williams war. Coburn descendants have been represented in every war since their arrival in this country. Aside from Edward's service mentioned, they were in the wilds of Maine in 1725 with Lovewell's expedition and at the siege of Louisburg in the French and Indian War of 1745. The Roll of Honor names 33 Coburn's as serving in the War of the Revolution. Many served in the War of 1812; some gave their lives in Mexico during the war of 1848; a large number enlisted in the Civil War from 1861 to 1865; some also participated in the Spanish-American conflict. Without further statistics, it is a foregone conclusion that many took part in the wars of this century after the action in Cuba.

Allusions are made in legal papers to Edward as being of Ipswich, and he is called Nathaniel Saltonstall's farmer, from which we conclude that he was the superintendent and manager of the estate of Nathaniel Saltonstall, who was a prominent citizen of that town. There is no record of Edward owning a farm until, with his family (consisting of his wife, eight sons and two daughters), he removed to Dracut, then called "The Wilderness North of the Merrimac," thus becoming the first settler north of the Merrimac River, except on the sea coast.

Being the first settler on the north of the Merrimac, Edward Coburn felt it necessary to provide against the assaults of the Indians. They roamed through the woods and paddled their canoes on the river, and the lives of the white settlers were of no value to them. He erected a Garrison House, and with his seven stalwart sons (one having been killed by Indians) and his sons-in-law, he was able to protect himself from the thieving bands of Indians until aid could be summoned in time of danger when larger bands of Indians would be on the warpath. His Garrison House he left in his will to his son Joseph and it remained in the family for generations thereafter. The last to occupy it was Nathaniel B.⁷ and his sons Edmund, Howard, and Walter, after which it passed out of the hands of the Coburn's. This house reportedly was still standing as late as 1922 and was then known as the Durkee House.

The Garrison House was situated on property identified as the Webb farm of 1600 acres purchased by Edward Coburn from John Evered alias John Webb. This

land apparently constituted the largest and most important of his holdings although he is known to have owned with others a tract of land off the Ipswich shore called Hog Island.

Edward, while living, divided his land between his sons and owning land which laid upon the north shore of the river, he was able to give to each one a river lot. These shares were deeded to the sons on varying dates but each one was "bound to pay £55 Sterling, making a yearly payment of £5 for the period of eleven years. All and every of the several payments to be in kind and manner and in all sorts and equal proportions of payment according to covenant wherein the said Edward standeth bound to the aforesaid Webb and his assignees." The one-eighth share of the Webb purchase is described as, "11 acres, 60 poles."

In addition to the information contained in the Coburn genealogy and what is reported in this volume, those interested in further details about members of the Coburn line are urged to review the HISTORY OF DRACUT MASSACHUSETTS written by Silas R. Coburn and published in 1922. CEB

The following record of family data for the first four generations is taken from the Coburn genealogy.

EDWARD¹ COLBORNE b. 1618 d. 1712 m. Hannah - - - - -.

Children: (Surname COLBORNE)

- i. Edward b. 1642 d. 1675 (ambushed by Indians).
- ii. John b. 1644 d. 1695 m. Hannah Read.
- +iii. Robert b. 1646 d. 1701 m. Mary Bishop.
- iv. Thomas b. 1648 d. 1728 m/1 Hannah Rouf (or Rolfe) m/2 Mary Richardson.
- v. Daniel b. 1654 d. 1712 m. Sarah Blood.
- vi. Hannah b. 1656 m/1 28 SEP 1682 Thomas Richardson who was b. 26 OCT 1661, m/2 John Wright.
- vii. Ezra b. 16 MAR 1658 d. 1739 m. Hannah Varnum.
- viii. Joseph b. 16 JUN 1661 d. 1733 m. Hannah - - - - -.
- ix. Lydia b. 20 AUG 1666.

As the earlier records of Ipswich were burned, the births of the first seven children can only be given as occurring about the years mentioned. Exact dates of births of Ezra, Joseph and Lydia have been found.

Silas R. Coburn has written in his HISTORY OF DRACUT MASSACHUSETTS in reference to Edward's wife that ".....private letters lead to the conclusion that her maiden name was Rolfe." This is interesting inasmuch as Edward's son Thomas is reported to have married second Hannah Rouf (or Rolfe). CEB

ROBERT² COLBURN (Edward¹) b. about 1647 Ipswich, d. 17 JUN 1701 Concord, m. 16 MAR 1699 Mary Bishop of Chelmsford.

Children: (Surname COLBURN)

- + i. Edward b. 4 SEP 1670 m/1 Sarah Hayward m/2 Mercy Butterick.
- ii. Mary b. 24 JAN 1673 m. - - - - Baker.
- iii. Ebenezer b. 20 FEB 1676.
- iv. Daniel b. 11 AUG 1678.
- v. Benjamin b. 13 MAR 1680.
- vi. Joseph b. 13 MAR 1680 d. 21 SEP 1758 m. 26 JAN 1708 Hannah
Harwood who d. 14 NOV 1760; Child: Ebenezer.
- vii. John b. 18 APR 1686.
- viii. Thomas b. 1691.
- ix. William b. 1694.
- x. Nathaniel b. 1698.
- xi. Robert.

In 1678, Edward conveyed to Robert one-eighth of the Webb purchase, viz. 11 acres, 60 poles, bounded by John's land on the west, and his brother Edward's, now deceased, on the east and lying on the river. The terms of the sale were the same as those imposed upon John: £5 yearly for a term of eleven years, with the same conditions regarding the kind of payment.

Robert and John did not share with the others in the Satchell land, although each had his share in the Webb purchase. May 27, 1700, the year before his death, he sold his real estate in Dracut to his brother Daniel and is called a "Resident of Dracut."

EDWARD³ COBURN (Robert², Edward¹) baptized 4 SEP 1670 at Beverly, m/1 19 MAR 1694 Sarah Hayward dau. of Nathaniel of Beverly; m/2 Mercy Butterick of Concord dau. of Thomas Hett and Dorothy Edmunds and widow of William Butterick b. 19 SEP 1680.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- i. Edward b. c.1696.
- + ii. Samuel b. c.1700 m. Elizabeth Holt.
- iii. Robert b. c.1700.

Until 1701, his home was at Salem when, with three others, he purchased 100 acres in Connecticut on Little River, which was at that time a remote section, but afterward included in the Town of Hampton.

From there, in 1713, he removed to Windham, Conn. where he was living in 1730, as on July 3rd of that year he was admitted to the Church as a member.

A petition to the Probate Court in 1741 gives an approximate date of his death, and mentions Mercy, his wife, as still living. The later years of his life were spent at Concord, Mass. where he died.

SAMUEL⁴ COBURN (Edward³, Robert², Edward¹) b. c.1700 m. 16 NOV 1727 Elizabeth Holt b. 1706 dau. of George Holt and Elizabeth Farnum (and a great granddaughter of immigrant Nicholas Holt).

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- i. Samuel b. Sept. 29, 1728.
- ii. Edward b. April 5, 1730.
- iii. Zebediah b. FEB 26, 1732.
- iv. Cornelius b. Jan. 1, 1734.
- v. Sarah b. April 17, 1736.
- vi. George b. Sept. 5, 1737.
- vii. Mary b. April, 1740.
- viii. Nathaniel b. April 28, 1742.
- ix. Elizabeth b. Aug. 27, 1743.
- x. Lydia b. April 13, 1745.
- xi. Dinah b. Sept. 20, 1746.
- xii. Priscilla b. Sept. 16, 1748.
- xiii. Hezekiah.
- + xiv. Ebenezer b. June 28, 1752.
- xv. Stephen.

Samuel and Elizabeth resided in Windham, Conn. where he was admitted to the church 14 DEC 1735.

The Coburn genealogy contains a record of the families of all of Samuel's children except Ebenezer. This is regrettable inasmuch as his marriage and carrydown are of vital interest to us in this volume, some of his children having been among the pioneer settlers of DeKalb County, Indiana. An omission of this sort often occurs in a genealogy, however, due to a lack of information; possibly due to the movement of families from place to place when new frontier lands were opened in New England and to the west. Fortunately, sufficient information has been found to establish Ebenezer's place in the line and enable his descendants to share their heritage in the Coburn genealogy. CEB

NOTE: From this point onward the record of the Coburn family reflects the movement by some to Indiana and the beginning of the community later called Coburntown. Ebenezer Coburn, then, for the purpose of this work, becomes number one and all of the descendants thereafter are numbered consecutively. It is essential that the reader understand this arrangement and the necessary departure from an extension of the format used in the established Coburn genealogy.

It is also deemed appropriate to insert here the comment that the research of Norma J. Cape has been most helpful in securing details of some descendants in early generations and especially with regard to those who resided in north-eastern Ohio. Similarly, acknowledgment must be made of the efforts of Charlotte E. Sargent who submitted the diary of Jacob Osborn Coburn reproduced herein and associated letters.

HUSBAND Coburn, Samuel

admitted church 14 D 1735⁽⁴⁾

Birth. ca. 1728⁽³⁾ Place res. Windham, Conn.
 Chr. Place
 Death. Place
 Burial. Place
 Father. Edward⁽³⁾, Robert⁽³⁾, Edward^(1:30) Mother (Maiden Name)
 Mar. 16. N. 1727^(3:30) Place Windham, CT
 Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on this family record obtained?

1. Coburn genealogy
2. Bailey - Early Conn. Marriages
3. Windham VTR - Conn. Stat. Index
4. Hampton ch. rec. - Conn. St. ch. index
5. Scotland cong. ch. - "
6. Preston - Bassett - Preston ancestry

WIFE Elizabeth Holt^(1:30)

Birth. 1706⁽²⁾ Place residence: Windham, CT. b Andover, Mass.
 Chr. Place
 Death. Place
 Burial. Place
 Father. George Holt⁽¹⁾ Mother (Maiden Name) Elizabeth Farnsworth⁽⁶⁾
 Other Husb. (if any)

Name and address of person submitting this sheet:

Male or Female	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN		State or Country	DIED			MARRIED
		Day	Mo.	Yr.	Town	County		Day	Mo.	Yr.	
	1 Samuel ⁽³⁾ res. Windham ⁽¹⁾	Sept 7	10	1728 ⁽¹⁾ 29 S 1728 ⁽³⁾							Date 23 Ja 1751 ⁽⁴⁾ 23 Je ⁽³⁾ To Judith ⁽⁴⁾ (Judith ⁽⁶⁾) Webster ^(1:4)
	2 Edward ⁽¹⁾ res. Windham + Hampton ⁽¹⁾	5 Apr	1730 ⁽¹⁾ 1731/2 ⁽³⁾								Date 17 Ag 1757 ⁽¹⁾ 24 Sarah Wyman ⁽¹⁾ To Prudence Weakley ⁽¹⁾
	3 Zebediah ⁽¹⁾ res. Rutland, Vt. ⁽¹⁾	26	7	1732 ⁽¹⁾							Date 22 Ja 1754 ⁽¹⁾ Hampton ch. Windham ⁽²⁾ To Elizabeth Durkee ^(2, v. 8: 72)
	4 Cornelius ⁽¹⁾ res. Lisbon, Conn. + Rome, N.Y. ⁽¹⁾	Sept 1	1734 ⁽¹⁾ 1 Ja 1734 ⁽¹⁾				Rome, N.Y. ⁽¹⁾ 20 Je 1824 ⁽¹⁾				Date 5 Apr 1780 ⁽³⁾ (1st - 20 Apr 1757 ⁽¹⁾) To Rachel Robinson ⁽²⁾ Abigail Greenleaf ⁽¹⁾
	5 Sarah ⁽³⁾ res. Wilton, N.H. ⁽¹⁾	Sept 17	1736 ⁽¹⁾ 17 Apr 1736 ⁽²⁾								Date To
	6 George ⁽¹⁾ res. Wilton, N.H. ⁽¹⁾	4 S	1737 ⁽¹⁾ 5 S 1737 ⁽¹⁾								Date 19 N 1764 ⁽¹⁾ To Mary Adams ⁽¹⁾ dau. Ephraim ⁽¹⁾
	7 Mary ⁽¹⁾	Sept 20	Apr 1740 ⁽¹⁾ Apr 1740 ⁽¹⁾								Date To
	8 Nathaniel ⁽¹⁾	Sept 2	May 1742 ⁽¹⁾ 28 Apr 1742 ⁽¹⁾								Date 29 N 1764 ⁽¹⁾ To Hannah Burnham ⁽²⁾ dau. Eben ⁽¹⁾
	9 Elizabeth ⁽¹⁾	Sept 4	5 1743 ⁽¹⁾ 27 Ag 1743 ⁽¹⁾								Date 8 S 1776 Hampton ch. To James Butt of Canterbury ^(2, v. 4: 76)
	10 Lydia ⁽¹⁾		13 Apr 1745 ⁽¹⁾								Date To
	11 Dinah ⁽¹⁾	Sept 28	5 1746 ⁽¹⁾ 20 S 1746 ⁽¹⁾								Date To
	12 Priscilla ⁽¹⁾	Sept 18	5 1748 ⁽¹⁾ 16 S 1748 ⁽¹⁾								Date To
	13 Hezekiah ⁽¹⁾ res. Windham, Conn. + Salisbury ⁽¹⁾	Sept 1	1750 ⁽¹⁾								Date 17 Je 1771 ⁽¹⁾ To Mary Bill ^(2, v. 3: 75) dau. Jonathan ⁽¹⁾
*	14 Ebenezer ⁽¹⁾	Sept 28	9 1752 ⁽¹⁾ 28 Je 1752 ⁽¹⁾			Scotland Cong. Ch.					Date 20 N 1777 ^(2, v. 3: 48) (5) To Sibil Robinson ⁽²⁾ (Scotland, Windham, VT) ⁽¹⁾
	15 Stephen ⁽¹⁾ res. Lebanon, N.H.	6.	1754 ⁽¹⁾ Oct 20 1755 ⁽¹⁾								Date D 1779 ⁽¹⁾ To Miriam Wood ⁽¹⁾ dau. Joseph ⁽¹⁾

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COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION ONE (Coburntown Branch)

1. EBENEZER COBURN b. 28 JUN 1752 (Coburn gen.) or 4 JUL 1752 (Bible rec.) bp 28 JUN 1752 Hampton Ch. rec. Scotland Congregational Ch., Windham, Ct. d. 19 FEB 1825 Bristol, Ontario Co., NY son of Samuel Coburn and Elizabeth Holt; m. 20 NOV 1777 by Rev. James Cogswell (cr Scotland Parish, Third Ch. of Windsor, CT or 22 NOV 1777 (Bible rec.) Sibyl Robinson b. 14 SEP 1755 d. 20 MAY 1839 dau. of Samuel Robinson and Sarah Kimball.

There appears to be no means of correcting the discrepancy found in the birthdate of Ebenezer as noted above. Not knowing the source of information for the birthdate in the Coburn genealogy, it might be assumed that the record of baptism was taken to also be the date of birth since it was common practice to have new-born infants baptized on the day they were born. However, the date attributed to church record varies by almost one full week from the Bible record of birth, implying to the writer that there may have been a delay in entering the church record leading to a miscalculation of the proper date. Inasmuch as this particular Bible record appears to have been so completely kept, it is the author's opinion that of the two, the Bible record should be most accurate.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

2. Ebenezer b. 5 JUL 1778 d. 17 JUL 1789, bur. Meltowe Valley Cem., Pawlet, Rutland Co., Vt.
- +3. Asher b. 11 DEC 1779 d. 1852.
4. Joseph B. b. 30 AUG 1781.
5. Sibyl b. 10 MAY 1783 m/1 - - - - Headley m/2 Bennett S. Robe 30 OCT 1858 DeKalb Co., Ind. Bennett S. Robe d. 12 DEC 1863 son of Amherst Robe and Abigail Liswell; served in the Civil War, mustered in 22 NOV 1861 Co. F, 44th Infantry and died at Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue of either marriage. According to family tradition, Sibyl's nephew, Willaim Riley Coburn, was bound to her when she came in 1840 with her Headley husband from Trumbull Co, Ohio to DeKalb Co., Ind. However, no trace has been found of Sibyl and her first husband in either of these locations so it must be assumed that he died a short time after arriving in Indiana.
6. Sally b. 21 MAY 1785.
- +7. Gurden b. 18 DEC 1786 Vt. d. 17 AUG 1872.
8. James b. 23 JUL 1788 Vt.
9. Zeruah b. 30 MAR 1790 Vt. d. 17 FEB 1825.
- +10. Dorcas b. MAR 1792 Vt. d. 12 AUG 1870.
- +11. Ebenezer b. 8 OCT 1795 Vt. d. 9 AUG 1847.
12. Betsy b. 6 NOV 1796.

Ebenezer relocated with his family from Connecticut to Vermont between 1783

and 1786 where he still resided at Pawlet in Rutland County as enumerated in the 1800 census. However, he next appears in the 1820 census at Bristol in Ontario County, NY.

A search made by Isabel Huff Abel of bounty land applications in the National Archives relative to the service of Ebenezer Jr. in the War of 1812 revealed that a Bible record had been submitted in support of the claim with detailed information about the family of Ebenezer Sr. This record verifies dates and provides proof of the rightful place of subsequent generations in the line of descent. Her work thus enables us to quote the record back to the immigrant ancestor. The whereabouts of this Bible now is unknown.

Mrs. Abel's research also is responsible for the following outline of Sibyl Robinson's heritage in the Robinson and Fuller lines.

Sibyl was a fifth generation descendant of immigrant Isaac Robinson b. 1610 prob. at Leyden, Holland, d. 1704 Barnstable, Mass. s. of Rev. John Robinson and Bridget White, the father described as beloved pastor of the Pilgrims in Holland, a teacher at Scrooby after having been forced out of preaching for the Church of England, d. 1625 or before at Leyden, Holland. Isaac came to Plymouth, Mass. in 1631 in the "Lion;" to Barnstable, Mass. by 1636; after 1651 at Martha's Vineyard. He m/1 Margaret Hanaford and m/2 Mary Faunce.

Isaac and Mary Robinson had son Peter who d. 1740 at Windham, Conn., m/1 Mary Manter, m/2 Experience Manter.

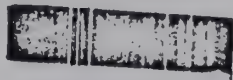
Peter and Mary Robinson had son Peter b. c.1697 Martha's Vineyard d. 22 MAR 1785 Windham, Conn. m. JUN 1725 at Mansfield, Conn. Ruth Fuller. Peter and Ruth's son Samuel b. 6 JUL 1726 Scotland parish, Windham, Conn. d. there 11 JUN 1792 m. 2 JAN 1748 Sarah Kimball dau. of Richard Kimball. Samuel and Sarah Robinson were the parents of Sibyl Robinson.

The lineage of Sibyl Robinson's grandmother, Ruth Fuller, also must be noted here. Ruth was a fifth generation descendant of Edward Fuller of Redenhall Parish, Norfolk, England, son of Robert Fuller, bp. 1575 d. 1621 along with his wife during the first winter of great sickness at Plymouth. Apparently not of the Leyden, Holland congregation, but came on the "Mayflower" with brother Dr. Samuel Fuller, and was 21st signer of the Compact. Wife Ann - - - -.

Their son Matthew Fuller b. 1603 Redenhall Parish, Norfolk, England d. AUG 1678 Barnstable, Mass. m. Frances - - - - -. They had son Samuel b. 1628, killed 25 MAR 1676 at Rehoboth in Indian attack, m/2 Mary - - - - -.

A son of Samuel and Mary, Samuel, b. 1676 d. 29 SEP 1716 m. 3 OCT 1700 Elizabeth Thatcher dau. of Rodolphus of Martha's Vineyard and these were the parents of Ruth Fuller b. 12 APR 1706 d. 9 JUN 1795 m. 30 JUN 1725 Peter Robinson.

It is not clear how many of the children of Ebenezer and Sibyl Coburn went from Vermont to Trumbull County, Ohio but we know that three of them, Sibyl, Gurden, and Ebenezer Jr., later came from Ohio to DeKalb Co., Ind. and were among the early settlers in this new frontier land and the community that was to become known as Coburntown.



State of Indiana

County of ~~Allen~~ ^{Dekalb} on the 26th day of Dec 1859

before me personally came Deliverance Coburn
 to me well known & whom I certify to be a person
 of character & reputed to be the widow of Ebenezer
 Coburn deceased, who being duly sworn by me
 according to law on her oath declares that she
 is the identical person who is the widow of
 Ebenezer Coburn deceased; that she resides
 in ^{Dekalb} ~~Allen~~ County Indiana & is aged sixty
 three years old in February last; that she
 was married to her said husband Ebenezer
 Coburn on the 1st day of September 1815
 by Elder Solomon Goodell that her name
 before her marriage was Deliverance Wilson
 that she has no other marriage record
 of which is herewith submitted.

That her said husband had before that been
 married to a cohabited with Phoebe Henry, who
 died July 1, 1815. That her said husband was a
 Corporal in the United States Service in the
 War of 1812 on the frontier near Buffalo; that
 he entered service from Bristol Ontario Co.
 New York on or about the month of Feb or March

1874 for the term of three months & continued
in actual service in said war for about three
weeks when he was discharged honorably
& came home; that she thinks he was a
corporal, but he may have been a private
that he received a written discharge which
she often saw, but which is lost; that she
thinks he was in Col Dobbin's ^{or Smith's} Regiment
though she does not know. She thinks
his Captain was Abraham Mathison.
She further states that her said husband
died at his residence in Concord in the 9th day
of August 1847 ^{DeKalb County, Indiana}; that she is now a
widow & unmarried & has never before made
any application for a warrant because
she did not know his officers; that she
has never received a warrant, nor made
any other application therefor - that she
knows of no living witnesses of her marriage.
She applies for 160 acres of Bounty
Land to which she claims to be entitled for her
said husband's services & appears & was a master
of Lyons Ky, her atty
at law.
R. G. Columbus
DeKalb County, Ind.
Geo. W. Wilmot
J. P. Seal

Geo W Wilson
D P Sec

The following

The following note
have faithfully copied from the old family Bible it
runs back to Ebenezer Coburn senior. which is father to
the one deceased you will find on examining the record that
there is three bearing the same given name the second one
bearing the name of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. born July 5th 1778. was a
brother to the one that was in the war this oldest brother
died when 11 years or thereabouts and they named the one
in question after him I have given you this short history.
So there would be no embarrassment on your part in
getting the fair understanding of matters and thus I leave it.

Marriages

Ebenezer Coburn
 married to
 Sibyl Robinson
 22 Nov. 1777

Elizbeth Coburn
married to
Phebe Henry
30th Sept 1813

also on the
17 Sept. 1815 to one
Deliverance Wilson
(the following names are his
children whose names are
on the record)

John H. Coburn
married to
Sallyann Root
Sept 1. 1836

Isaac Meek married
to Phoebe W. Coburn
April 24. 1836

Marriage:

Married to
Emmie Barstow

No dates.
John E. Dermatte
married to
Ann A. Coburn.
July 17 1862

Russell J. Coburn
to Mary Killiman
July 6. 1845

Charles M. Coburn
Married to
Almira Milliman

Bitter

Benjamin Coburn sen
born 4th July 1752

Silv. Colum. sen. bon
64 Sept. 1755

Elvenger Colwin Jr
born July 5. 1878.

Asher Coburn born
11 December 1779.

Joseph B. Eburne born
Aug 30th 1781.

Daryl Coburn for
 from 10 May 1883

May 1785

Dec. 1786,

James Coburn born
23 July 1788,
Myersah Coburn born
30 March 1790
Loxias Coburn born
March — 1792.
Ebenezer Coburn ^{this is the one} born 8 October 1794.
Betsey Coburn born
6 Nov 1796 4 sister of his
Phoebe Coburn born
2 Apr. 1792 his first wife.
Deliverance Coburn
born 5 Feb. 1796 his widow
John W. Coburn born
30 June 1814
Otis R. Coburn born
1 Nov. 1816
Phoebe W. Coburn born
15 Aug. 1818,
William W. Coburn born
19 Feb. 1821,
Ann A. Coburn born
5 June 1823
Rufel J. Coburn born
8 Aug. 1825
Charles H. Coburn born
21 Nov. 1827.

May 11. Coburn born
15 March 1830.
Chauncey Coburn born
Aug. — 1832
Eliya Jane Coburn
born 30 Oct. 1834
Caroline Coburn
born Aug 8. 1836.

Deaths
Ebenezer Coburn Jan 1839
Died 19 July 1789.
Phoebe Coburn
July 1. 1815
Myersah Coburn son
6/7 Feb. 1825
Nibyl Coburn son
May 20. 1839
Ebenezer Coburn son
9 Aug 1847.
Eliya J. Coburn
2 Jan 1847
William W. Coburn
March 11. 1850

Schubert Ad. " 1
Wm Van Hook
Lyons Mt

COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION TWO
(Coburntown Branch)

3. ASHER COBURN (Ebenezer) b. 11 DEC 1779 Windham Co., Conn. d. 9 AUG 1852 Trumbull Co., Ohio bur. Cortland, Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio (Hillside Cemetery) m. c.1802 Esther Whitney b. c.1778 Mass. d. 3/8 MAR 1855 Trumbull Co., Ohio Ae 87 y. (g.s.) bur. with her husband, dau. prob. of John Whitney of Watertown.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +13. Asher Whitney b. 3 MAR 1803 d. 11 JUL 1874.
- 14. Eben R. b. c.1809 (retarded).
- +15. John Fitch b. 22 JUL 1806 d. 8 APR 1879.
- +16. Charlotte b. 1 AUG 1812 d. 10 SEP 1876.

Asher Coburn's family was enumerated in the 1800 census at Bristol, Ontario Co., NY and in 1810 at Honeoye, Ontario Co., NY. He is believed to have removed to Trumbull County, Ohio in 1816 or 1818; his family is enumerated at Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio in 1820 and thereafter until his death. In 1850, Asher and Esther Coburn were living with their daughter, Charlotte, and her husband Daniel Faunce at this latter location.

On 22 JAN 1820, Asher Coburn became one of the first Elders of the newly-formed Baptist Church in Baconsburg (later Cortland), Trumbull Co., Ohio. Eight members of the Concord Baptist Church of Warren were dismissed for that purpose. The group became a Disciple Church after the sweep of Thomas Campbell through the area in 1828.

Asher is listed as owning 123 acres in Lot 9 in 1820-1834 and 60½ acres in 1835-1838. His son, Eben R., is listed as owning 50 acres in Lot 17 in 1822-1827. Asher also is listed as owning 50 acres in Lot 17 in 1828-1829 (possibly the same land previously listed for Eben). Asher and Esther Coburn deeded small parcels of land in Lot 9 to Sibyl Hovey of Bazetta in 1829; to Asher W. Coburn, and to Jacob Sibert. Asher paid personal property taxes from 1826-1834, possibly having joined his two sons in DeKalb County, Ind. after that date when he stopped paying taxes. He sold his last property in 1838 while living in Indiana.

7. GURDEN COBURN (Ebenezer) b. 18 DEC 1786 Vt. d. 17 AUG 1872 Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich. bur. Seaman Cem., near Grant, Mich. m. prob. c.1810 Cynthia Phillips b. c.1792/3 Vt. d. prob. between 1860-1870 (reportedly in DeKalb Co., Ind.) dau. of Zebulon Phillips and Silve Petengel.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +17. Celia b. 1811 d. 1890.
- +18. Joshua P. b. c.1815 d. 1880.

- +19. Lucretia b. c.1819 d. 22 JUL 1885.
- +20. Sarah Alvira (Sally) b. 7 DEC 1821 d. AUG 1905.
- 21. Lovina.
- +22. Samuel D. b. 2 MAR 1824 d. 12 FEB 1904.
- +23. William Riley b. 13 NOV 1825 d. 25 NOV 1912.
- +24. Ellery Orson b. 1830 d. 26 NOV 1905.
- +25. Calvin James b. c.1832/3 d. 14 MAR 1906.

Gurden is first enumerated in the 1820 census at Richmond Town, Ontario Co., NY. In 1836, he is listed as owning 75 acres in Lot 8, Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio and 23 MAR 1837 he sold 20 plus acres, Lot 8. He paid personal property taxes at this latter location 1828-1834. In 1850, Gurden and Cynthia with their two youngest children were enumerated at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. next door to the family of dau. Celia Headley. The 1860 census finds Gurden and Cynthia with the family of son Joshua P. Coburn. Gurden is believed to have gone to Newaygo Co., Mich. about 1865 when some of his children relocated to that place and probably remained there until his death in 1872 although not shown in 1870 enumerations by himself or with any of his children.

10. DORCAS COBURN (Ebenezer) b. 25 MAR 1792 Vt. (prob. Pawlet, Rutland Co.) d. 12 AUG 1870 Ae 78 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio bur. Disciple Cem., Cortland, Ohio dau. of Ebenezer Coburn and Sibyl Robinson m. 25 AUG 1811 James Bowen Jr. b. 15 FEB 1789 d. 7 JUN 1868 Ae79 Cortland, Ohio bur. Disciple Cem., Cortland, Ohio s. of James Bowen Sr. and Sarah Kilton.

Children: (Surname BOWEN)

- 26. Sally Murlin b. 29 MAY 1812 d. 8 FEB 1871 m/1 11 JAN 1826 Harvey Starks d. 22 MAY 1836 m/2 21 MAR 1843 John Rudolph Jr.
- 27. Lorenze b. 19 MAY 1814 d. 7 NOV 1814.
- 28. Sibyl b. 11 DEC 1818 m. 12 FEB 1835 Harrison Post.
- 29. Julia Ann b. 10 SEP 1822 m. APR 1839 William Bell.
- 30. Lucinda Cass b. 20 JAN 1826 d. 12 DEC 1882 m. 8 DEC 1853 Warner Whitney Freer b. 17 JUN 1828 Seneca Co., NY d. 25 NOV 1907 Plainview, Minn. s. of Wm. D. Freer.
- +31. Lucy Maria b. 3 DEC 1829 d. 11 JAN 1918.
- 32. (AD) William Scoville b. 20 OCT 1830.

11. EBENEZER COBURN JR. (Ebenezer) b. 8 OCT 1794 Vt. d. 9 AUG 1846 (g.s.) or 1847 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m/1 13 SEP 1813 prob. Ontario Co., NY Phoebe (Phebe) Henry b. 2 APR 1792 Vt. d. 1 JUL 1815 Bristol, Ontario Co., NY.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +33. John H.. b. 1 JUL 1813 or 30 JUN 1814 d. 13 SEP 1875.

Ebenezer m/2 17 SEP 1815 by Elder Solomon Goodell prob. Ontario Co., NY Deliverance Wilson b. 5 FEB 1796 Mass. d. 14 MAY 1864 (13 MAY 1861 g.s.) Ae 68y 8m 8d Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +34. Otis R. b. 1 NOV 1816 d. 31 DEC 1887.
- +35. Phebe H. b. 15 AUG 1818 d. 1885.
- 36. William Warren b. 19 FEB 1821 Ontario Co., NY d. 11 MAR 1850.
- +37. Ann A. b. 5 JUN 1823 d. 1863 DeKalb Co., Ind.
- +38. Russell G. b. 8 AUG 1825 d. 26 JAN 1912.
- +39. Charles M. b. 21 NOV 1827 d. 30 MAY 1920.
- 40. Henry W. b. 15 MAR 1830 Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 23 MAR 1903 Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 27 NOV 1857 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell Sophia Mathews b. 1839 Ind. d. 22 MAR 1909 Newville, Ind. dau. of John Mathews and Priscilla H. Clayton. Both bur. Evergreen Cem., Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. No issue. See biography which follows. Sophia m/2 9 MAR 1905 DeKalb Co., Ind. Allison S. Briggs b. c.1842 d. 22 DEC 1922 s. of Jess Briggs and Rebecca Nickey. No issue.
- 41. Chauncey b. AUG 1832 Trumbull Co., Ohio. Retarded. Last reported in 1850 living with brother Russell.
- 42. Eliza Jane b. 30 OCT 1834 Ohio d. 2 JAN 1847.
- +43. Caroline b. 8 AUG 1836 d. 1915.

Ebenezer moved as a child with his parents from Vermont to New York State where he grew to manhood. He enlisted for a period of three months in the War of 1812 from Bristol, Ontario Co., NY. He served as a corporal in Capt. Abraham Mattison's Co., NY Militia from 20 MAR 1814 to 11 APR 1814 when the Company was discharged on the frontier near Buffalo.

In the fall of 1827, Ebenezer relocated his family to Trumbull Co., Ohio where he engaged in farming and worked at the shoemaker trade. He is listed as owning 106 acres, Lot 8, in 1832-1835 and 81 acres in 1836. Deliverance Coburn is listed as owning 40 acres, Lot 13, in 1837-1838. In 1835, Ebenezer entered 160 acres of government land in Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. and in August, 1838 moved his family to their new home, clearing and improving his land and remained on it until his death.

Deliverance Coburn applied for 160 acres of bounty land in December, 1859 through her attorney William Van Marten of Lyons, NY. The supporting documents included a faithful copy of the Bible record of births, marriages and deaths which had been carefully kept by the parents of Ebenezer Jr. Data from this record appears in this present account.

In DeKalb County, Ebenezer was the first Justice, holding the office for four years, and also was the first Trustee. He was a member of the Disciples Church at Coburntown.

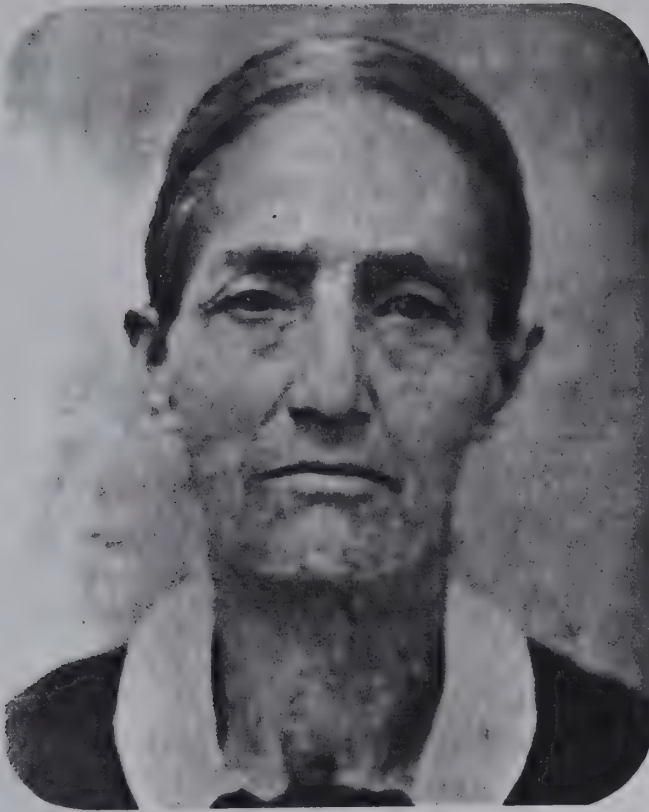
From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

EBENEZER COBURN, deceased, was one of the most esteemed pioneers of DeKalb County. He was born in Vermont, Oct. 8, 1794, a son of Ebenezer and Sybil (sic) (Robinson) Coburn, the former born July 4, 1752, of Scotch parentage

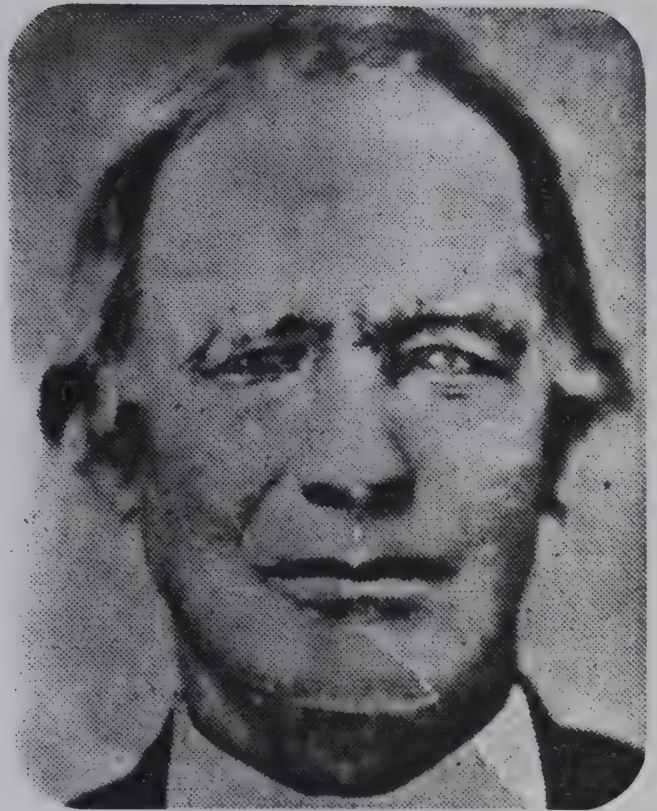
and the latter Sept. 14, 1755, of English descent. His parents were married Nov. 22, 1777 and when he was a child moved to New York State where he grew to manhood. Sept. 13, 1813, he was married to Phoebe Henry, who died July 1, 1815. They had one child -- John H., deceased. Sept. 17, 1815, he married Deliverance Wilson and in the fall of 1827 moved to Trumbull County, Ohio where he engaged in farming, and also worked at the shoemaker's trade. In 1835 he entered 160 acres of Government land in Concord Township, DeKalb Co., Ind., and in August, 1838, moved his family to their new home in the woods. He cleared and improved his land, remaining on it till his death, Aug. 9, 1847. His wife survived him till May 14, 1864. They had a family of ten children, six of whom are living -- Otis R., Russell G., Charles M., Henry W., Chauncey, and Caroline. Phoebe H., William W., Eliza J., and Ann A. are deceased. Mr. and Mrs. Coburn were members of the Disciples church. In politics he was an old line Whig. He served his township as Justice of the Peace four years.

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

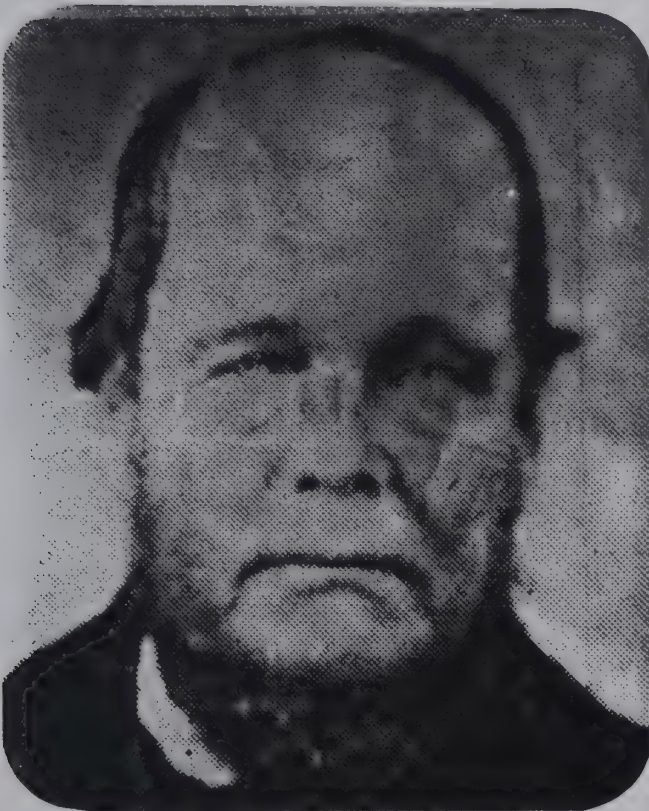
HENRY W. COBURN, merchant, Newville, Ind., was born in Trumbull County, Ohio, March 15, 1830, a son of Ebenezer and Delia (Wilson) Coburn, his father a native of Burlington, Vt., and his mother of Massachusetts. In 1838 his parents moved to DeKalb Co., Ind., and settled in the Coburn settlement in Concord Township, where he was reared and educated. In 1857 he was married and moved to Newville, and located on the lot where he has since lived. In 1864 he built his residence. He worked at the carpenter's trade a few years and in the spring of 1863 bought a half interest in the Newville saw-mill, which he ran four years. He then worked at his trade till the spring of 1870, when he engaged in merchandising in company with A. A. Fetterer, under the firm name of Fetterer & Coburn. In 1876 he bought his partner's interest and has since carried on the business alone. He carries a capital stock of \$5,000, consisting of dry goods, groceries, boots, shoes, hats, caps, crockery, hardware, etc. He keeps constantly on hand a complete stock of everything in his line and has a good trade, doing an annual business of \$10,000. In 1881 he built a new store 24 x 50 feet in size, which is one of the neatest and most conveniently arranged in the town. Mr. Coburn was married Nov. 27, 1857, to Sophia Mathews, a native of Concord Township, daughter of John Mathews, a pioneer of DeKalb County, now deceased. Mr. Coburn is one of the representative business men of Newville, but is quiet and unassuming in his manner, and never seeks official honors, preferring to attend strictly to his own affairs, and leaving the cares of office to others. He and his wife are members of the Christian church.



Betsey Anna Wilmot, 3rd
w. of John F. Coburn



John F. Coburn (#15)



Asher W. Coburn (#13)



Susan Newcomer (Shull)
2nd w. of Asher W. Coburn

COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION THREE
(Coburntown Branch)

13. ASHER WHITNEY COBURN (Asher, Ebenezer) b. 3 MAR 1803 Ontario Co., NY d. 11 JUL 1874 Ae 71y 4 m 9d (10 JUL 1874 g.s.) DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Asher Coburn and Esther Whitney m/1 13 JUN 1824 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Lewis Abel, J.P. Hannah Headley b. 15 AUG 1804 Penn. d. 8 SEP 1857 Ae 53y 24d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Samuel Headley and Rachel James.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +44. Phoebe b. 27 AUG 1825 d. 22 NOV 1900.
- 45. Francis (son) b. 22 MAY 1827 d. 6 JUL 1872 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. unm. (epileptic).
- +46. Roxana b. 19 APR 1829 d. 1896.

Asher m/2 17 APR 1859 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell Susan Newcomer (widow of Daniel Shull) b. 1815 Penn. d. 1904 Ae 89y bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Enumerated with Asher and Hannah in the 1850 census was her father, Samuel Headley Ae 73 b. NJ, and Phebe Meek Ae 11 b. Ohio believed to be the dau. of Asher's cousin Phebe (Coburn) Meek.

And at the 1860 census there were enumerated with Asher and Susan the following children of Daniel and Susan Shull by her previous marriage:

Henry Shull	b. c.1842 Ohio.
Sarah Shull	b. c.1845 Ohio.
Lydia Shull	b. c.1847 Ind.
Joseph Shull	b. c.1850 Ind.
Harriet C. Shull	b. c.1854 Ind.

Asher W. Coburn removed from New York with his parents about 1818 and was listed as owning 50 acres in Lot 17 in 1828-1849 at Trumbull Co., Ohio. He paid personal property taxes 1829-1834. In 1834 he and Hannah sold their property in Trumbull Co., Ohio and about this time he first rode through the country in Indiana and found that there was plenty of land to be had directly from the U.S. Government at \$1.25 per acre in the area northeast of Fort Wayne. Late in January 1836, Asher W. and his brother John F. loaded a lumber wagon with goods drawn by two yoke of oxen and their father, Asher Coburn, with his two-horse wagon took the two families of a wife and three children each and also some goods and they started West. They arrived in the area to become DeKalb County early in March, 1836; a journey of about 250 miles.

Asher W. spent his life thereafter on the farm he had acquired in 1836 and was a leader in development of improvements in that area of DeKalb County which subsequently was called Coburntown.

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

ASHER W. COBURN, deceased, was born in Ontario County, N. Y., March 3, 1803, and died in DeKalb County, Ind., July 11, 1874. He was a son of Asher and Esther (Whitney) Coburn, who moved to Trumbull County, Ohio about 1818, where he lived with them till manhood. He was by occupation a farmer, following it in Ohio till his removal to DeKalb County, Ind., March 1, 1836. Here he entered 240 acres of Government land on sections 23 and 24, Concord Township, which he cleared and improved and made his home till his death. He was married June 13, 1823 to Hannah Headley, daughter of Samuel and Rachel (James) Headley, who came from Pennsylvania to Ohio in an early day. To them were born three children -- Phoebe, wife of Jacob Dermott; Francis, deceased; Roxanna, widow of Harvey Ackley. His wife died Sept. 8, 1857, aged fifty-three years. He afterward married Mrs. Susan Shull, now a resident of Allen County. He was a member of the Disciples church. In politics he was at first a Whig but after its organization voted with the Republican party.

15. JOHN FITCH COBURN (Asher, Ebenezer) b. 22 JUL 1806 Ontario Co., NY d. 8 APR 1879 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Asher Coburn and Esther Whitney m/1 25 NOV 25 NOV 1830 prob. Trumbull Co., Ohio Minerva Twadell (or Trumbull) b. 1 OCT 1807 d. 8 OCT 1840 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. (congestion of the brain), parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

47. Jacob Osborn b. 1832 Ohio d. 8 MAR 1864 in Belle Isle (rebel prison) at Richmond, Va. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. MAY 1852 Martha A. (poss. Thomas) b. c.1834 d. 12 JUN 1861 at Napoleon, Jackson Co., Mich. Osborn was engaged throughout his service during the Civil War to Miss Eva Aldrich of Olcott, NY. Apparently he was a surveyor in occupation. His Civil War diary is reproduced in its entirety following the Coburn genealogical data in this volume; also, there are some letters which give further information.
- +48. Laura E. b. c.1834 Ohio d. 28 NOV 1871.
49. Edwin Riley b. c.1836 Ohio d. 28 AUG 1909 Mt. Pleasant, Mich. where he is buried m. 24 OCT 1858 DeKalb Co., Ind. by H. Fusselman to Elizabeth M. (Libbie) Johnston b. 25 OCT 1836 Ohio (prob. Stark Co.) d. 10 MAY 1916 Mt. Pleasant, Mich. Ae 79y 6m 15d (old age) dau. of David Johnston and Margaret Kamp (or Kemp) bur. Mt. Pleasant, Mich. Edwin (given as Edward) served during the Civil War in Co. F 44th Inf from Indiana, muster in 22 NOV 1861 and out 22 NOV 1864. Having no natural children they reared foster children including Walter S. Huey b. 1 JAN 1861 d. 11 DEC 1904 (a railroader) bur. with Edwin and Elizabeth; also, Diana Gibbons b. 24/28 FEB 1877. Edwin was a surveyor and a minister, pastor of the Disciples church at Mt. Pleasant, Mich.

John Fitch Coburn m/2 18 JUL 1841 DeKalb Co., Ind. Alzada Matilda Gay b. 15 MAY 1811 d. 28 MAR 1850. No issue of this marriage.

He then m/3 20 APR 1852 Trumbull Co., Ohio Betsey Anna Wilmot of Portage Co., Ohio b. 7 JUN 1812 Ohio d. 22/24 DEC 1886 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Elihu Wilmot and Lucretia Blair.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+50. Wilmot Proviso b. 6 JUN 1857 d. 23 NOV 1938.

A common marker provided in the Alton Cemetery is inscribed for John F. and his three wives.

The following information appeared in the Old Settler's Edition of the St. Joe News published Wednesday, June 21, 1905:

"..... At the first election held in DeKalb county, in July, 1837, at the home of Washington Robinson, in Vienna (the early designation of Newville. CEB), he was elected county clerk and recorder. This was before the organization of DeKalb county and while what is now Stafford, Newville, and Concord townships was one organization and called DeKalb township. The county was organized and an election held the following year.

"Mr. Coburn was a man of strong convictions and always ready to defend any cause he held to be right. During his life he took an active interest in religious and educational affairs."

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

JOHN F. COBURN, deceased, one of the most prominent of the old pioneers, was born in Ontario County, N. Y., July 22, 1806, a son of Asher Coburn and died in DeKalb County, Ind., April 8, 1879. He was ten years of age when his parents moved to Trumbull County, Ohio and there he was reared on a frontier farm, obtaining a practical education in the district schools, and by studying in his leisure hours. He learned the shoemaker's trade in his youth, and worked at it till his removal to DeKalb County, Ind., March 1, 1836. He entered 120 acres of Government land, which he began to clear and improve and also worked at his trade. He was elected County Clerk and Recorder, the first in the county, and made an efficient officer. He was an active member of the Disciples church, and took a great interest in the cause of Christianity. Politically, he was first a Whig and later a Republican. He was married Nov. 25, 1830 to Minerva Twadell, who died Oct. 8, 1840. They had three children -- Jacob O., Laura E., and Edwin R. The sons were both soldiers in the War of the Rebellion. Jacob O. died in a rebel prison. Edwin R. is now a resident of Dushville, Isabella Co., Mich. July 11, 1841, Mr. Coburn married Alzada M. Gay, who died March 28, 1850. April 29, 1852 he married Betsey A. Wilmot, a native of Portage County, Ohio born June 7, 1812. They had one child -- Wilmot P. Mrs. Coburn and her son are living on the old homestead, which contains 160 acres of valuable land, under a good state of cultivation.

16. CHARLOTTE COBURN (Asher, Ebenezer) b. 1 AUG 1812 Bristol, Ontario Co., NY d. 10 SEP 1876 bur. Christian Church Cem., Cortland, Ohio dau. of Asher Coburn and Esther Whitney m. 16 MAY 1830 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Lewis Abel, J.P. Daniel Faunce b. c.1808 North Carver, Mass. d. 27 FEB 1861 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio bur. Hillside Cem., Cortland, Ohio s. of Alden Faunce Sr. and Nancy Vaughn.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 51. Lydia M. b. c.1831 Ohio d. 15 APR 1883 Cortland, Ohio bur. Christian Church Cem., Cortland, Ohio m. 28 OCT 1852 Trumbull Co., Ohio Lorenzo Colburn b. c.1830 NY d. prob. before 1880 s. of Francis N. (or A.) Colburn and Caroline - - - -. In 1880 Lydia was living in Cortland, Ohio with her sister Nancy (Faunce) McGrew.
- 52. Nancy b. 31 MAY 1833 Ohio d. 3 APR 1910 Cortland, Ohio m. as his 4th wife James McGrew b. 1810 Gettysburg, Penn. d. 24 APR 1878 Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of - - - - McGrew and Letitia Porter. Nancy may have m. prev. William Craft b. 3 JUL 1822 d. 18 AUG 1900 Cortland, Ohio.
- +53. Eben Colburn b. 23 FEB 1835 d. 1911.
- 54. Roxy A. b. 12 Apr 1836 Ohio m. as his 2nd wife Andrew McCorkle b. DEC 1837 d. 17 FEB 1877 Ae 49y 3m 21d. He was a house-painter.

A genealogy of the Faunce line was published in 1967 by James Freer Faunce with the title, "JOHN FAUNCE OF THE PLYMOUTH COLONY AND HIS DESCENDANTS." From this source, we learn that John Faunce, probably of Purleigh, county Essex, in England came to Plymouth, Mass. on the ship "Anne" in July, 1623 where he died 29 NOV 1653. While many Faunce families in America are not known to be connected, it appears that John Faunce can be considered the progenitor of the line in this country and assuredly the ancestor of those concerning us in this volume. Much information exists about early Faunce families in England but a record of the descent has not been made; only there was a concentration in County Essex, and a family of the name lived there before the year 1600. It is said that Oliver Cromwell was nursed by Alice Faunce, and she was so kind and attentive to him that he presented her with a large portrait of himself. Also, Charles II married a Faunce. The Faunce estate was in Rochester, England and covered 600 acres. The house was built in 1020.

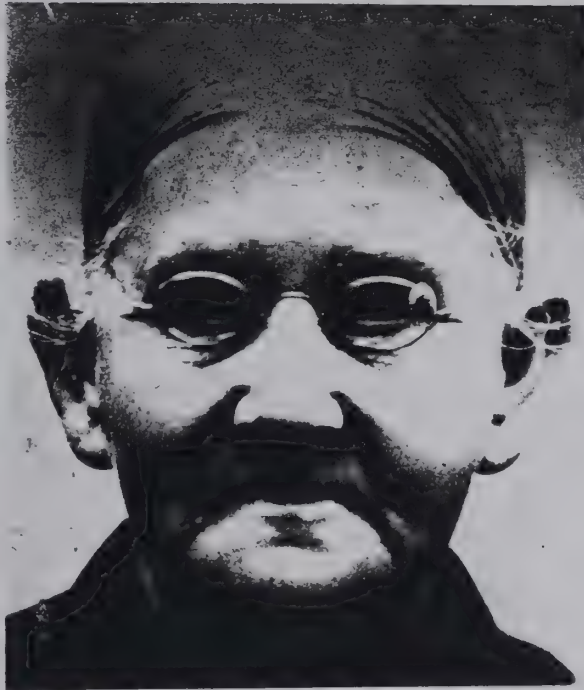
Daniel Faunce was a sixth generation descendant of the immigrant John Faunce. He was a farmer in occupation. His half brother, Alden, married Lucretia Coburn who was a cousin of Charlotte.

17. CELIA COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 1811 NY d. 1890 bur. Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich. m. 30 SEP 1830 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Lewis Abel, J.P. John Headley b. 1809 (g.s.) Penn. d. 1863 (blind at death) bur. Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich. s. of Samuel Headley and Rachel James.

Children: (Surname HEADLEY)



Daniel M. Faunce (#64) & w.
Samantha Lucretia Alton



Sarah Alvira (Sally) Coburn
(#20) w. of Benjamin Alton Jr.



William Riley Coburn (#23)
& w. Cynthia Lovesta Gee



Susan Amanda Coburn (#88) w/
husb. Jacob and ch. Dallas
and Alice

- +55. Orvin b. 5 DEC 1831 Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 1895.
- 56. Cynthia b. c.1835 Ohio
- +57. Marietta b. c.1838 Ohio d. 1887 (g.s.) bur Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich.
- +58. Harvey b. 6 OCT 1840 Ind. d. 27 NOV 1923.
- 59. Joseph b. MAY 1845 Ind. d. 1907 m. 21 DEC 1869 Sylvia Dingman b. SEP 1849 Mich. d. 1903; both bur. Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich.

John Headley's occupation is given as farmer in both the 1850 and 1860 census.

The family was enumerated in 1850 at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. and with them was William Robe b. c.1845 in Indiana, and next door was the mother Amelia Robe.

We next find the Headley's in 1860 at Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. and it was here that John and Celia lived out their lives. After he died, she was enumerated in 1870 with son Harvey and wife at the same location.

18. JOSHUA P. COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. c.1815 NY d. AUG 1880 Ae 65y Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Gurden Coburn and Cynthia Phillips m. 27 NOV 1836 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Lewis Abel, J.P. Mary Hampton d. apparently before the 1880 census.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 60. Calvin (not listed in 1850 or 1860 census records in Ohio but reportedly was known to reside later at Danville, Ohio.
- +61. Harmon b. c.1841 Mich. d. 7 APR 1922.

Joshua was a farmer in occupation. However, in the 1880 census at Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. his occupation was given as "clerk in probate" and he was enumerated with the family of Orvin Headley.

19. LUCRETIA COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 14 OCT 1818 Ontario Co., NY d. 22/26 JUL 1885/86 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. (at the home of son Daniel Myron) dau. of Gurden Coburn and Cynthia Phillips m. 18 OCT 1835 Trumbull Co., Ohio Alden Faunce Jr. b. 17 OCT 1814 North Carver, Mass. d. 22 FEB 1863 Cortland, Ohio (heart attack) s. of Alden Faunce Sr. and Priscilla Shurtleff.

- +62. Calvin Phillip b. 12 DEC 1836 d. 31 DEC 1912.
- +63. Ezra Alden b. 23 JAN 1838 d. 14 SEP 1902.
- +64. Daniel Myron b. 15 MAR 1840 d. 29 APR 1910.
- +65. Parmenus Coburn b. 31 AUG 1843 d. 22 MAY 1904.
- +66. William Lucius b. 20 FEB 1845 d. 2 NOV 1910.
- +67. Ellis Gerden b. 1 OCT 1846 d. 22 AUG 1927.
- 68. Cynthia Elvira b. 14 FEB 1848 d. 24 AUG 1872 Ae 24y 6m 10d Cortland, Ohio bur. Hillside Cem., Bazetta Twp., Cortland, Ohio m. 16 MAR 1870 Cortland, Ohio Jefferson Blair Moore b. 9 FEB 1849 Cortland, Ohio d. 2 MAR 1895 Perry, Lake Co., Ohio s. of Robert Moore and Ann Blair.

+69. Estella Celia b. 1 JAN 1858 d. 15 AUG 1879.

Alden bought from his father 98 acres in Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio. He served on the board of the Disciples church in West Bazetta. He is bur. Hillside Cem., Cortland, Ohio.

Lucretia m/2 1 JAN 1865 Trumbull Co., Ohio as his 2nd wife (and separated sometime after 1880) John H. Casterline b. 18 APR 1818 Washington Co., Penn. d. 7 FEB 1896 Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of Daniel Ludlow Casterline and Permelia Headley. John m/1 8 JAN 1840 Trumbull Co., Ohio Mary Ann Post b. 22 FEB 1818 d. 21 JUN 1864 Trumbull Co., Ohio dau. of Munson Post and Elizabeth Cooper.

20. SARAH ALVIRA COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 7 DEC 1821 NY d. 26 AUG 1905 Walkerville, Mich. at the home of her youngest dau. Mrs. Andrew Davis bur. Fremont Center, Mich. m. 15/21 NOV 1841 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. Benjamin Alton Jr. b. 1822 Ohio d. MAR 1875 Ae 53y Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Benjamin Alton Sr. and Francis Hoyt.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

- +70. Samantha Lucretia b. 1844 d. 1913. (see #64 Daniel Myron Faunce)
- 71. Silvia Cordelia b. 1847 living SEP 1905 in Idaho m. Andrew Kimes.
- 72. Eliza Amelia b. c.1852 d. in Nebraska before SEP 1905 m. Almon Root.
- +73. Sarah Cornelia b. NOV 1853 d. 1909.
- +74. Candace Marilla b. 1857 d. 1933.
- 75. Amanda Letitia d. inf.

The family lived several years at Hicksville, Ohio, returning to DeKalb Co., Ind. in 1861.

Benjamin served during the War of the Rebellion in Co. A. 13th Ind. Inf., mustered in 10 NOV 1864 and mustered out 5 SEP 1865. He then moved his family to Newaygo Co., Mich. He was a brick maker by occupation and enumerated in 1870 with the Alton family was Franklin Coburn b. c.1855 Ind. with notation, "works in brickyard."

Obituary. The St. Joe News; Wed., Sept. 13, 1905:-

Sarah Coburn was born in the state of New York December 7, 1821 and died at the home of her youngest daughter, Mrs. Andrew Davis, of Walkerville.

She was married Nov. 21, 1841 to Benjamin Alton at St. Joe, Ind. near which place they lived until Sept. 1865 when they moved to Fremont, Mich., which place has been her home the greater part of the time for the past 40 years. Six children were born to the union, four of whom survive. They are Mrs. D. M. Faunce of Fremont, Mich., Mrs. Andrew Kimes of Idaho, Mrs. Homer Nichols of Fremont, and Mrs. Candace Davis of Walkerville. One daughter, Amanda, departed this life in infancy and another, Mrs. Almon Root, died in Nebraska. The husband and father, Benjamin Alton, died in March, 1875 at the age of 53 years, and now rests in Fremont cemetery.

Mrs. Alton was one of the charter members of the Church of Christ of Fremont of which she has ever since remained a worthy member. Her last months were full of suffering as she was confined to her bed for 11 months before death brought her release August 26th. Through her long suffering she was ever patient and manifested the christian spirit which had done so much to sustain her and endear her to her many friends. She leaves behind her the memory of a life well-lived, a faith unshaken, and many deeds of love and kindness.

22. SAMUEL D. COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 2 MAR 1824/25 Ontario Co., NY d. 12 FEB 1904 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. s. of Gurden Coburn and Cynthia Phillips m/1 prob. c.1843/44 DeKalb Co., Ind. Ann (Annie) Perry d. prob. c.1849/50 (5 years after marriage) dau. of prob. Moses Perry.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

76. Joshua W. b. c.1850 Ind.

Samuel m/2 6 JUL 1851 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell, evangelist Ann Coburn (his 1st cousin) b. 5 JUN 1823 Ontario Co., NY d. 1863 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. and Deliverance Wilson.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+77. Henrietta b. 1852 (g.s.) d. 1939.

+78. Franklin W. b. DEC 1854 (g.s.) d. 11 JUL 1919.

+79. Charles F. b. JUN 1858 (g.s.) d. 25 FEB 1927.

+80. Ella Samuel b. 10 JUL 1859/60 d. 5 MAY 1922.

81. Carrie b. JUL 1862 Ind. m. 30 JUN 1878 Newaygo Co., Mich. Edwin F. Seeley, a railroader.

Ann Coburn m/1 John E. Dermott who apparently d. before 1850. She brought with her upon her marriage to Samuel D. Coburn two daughters with surname DERMOTT:
Mary Adelia b. c.1845 Ind.
Alice A. b. c.1847 Ind.

After the death of his 2nd wife, Samuel m/3 15 APR 1866 Muskegon Co., Mich. by Rev. Wm. Wheeler Sarah E. Walkley b. SEP 1840 Williams Co., Ohio d. 1920 bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. dau. of Oliver Walkley and Parthena Smith.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

82. Matilda b. c.1866 Mich.

+83. Viola L. b. 22 APR 1868

84. Eva M. b. 22 MAR 1870 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 28 AUG 1871 same place (Diorrhea).

85. Oliver Lucius b. 26 NOV 1874/74 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 19 APR 1910 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. (Peritonitis) bur. Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. m. Nancy (beld. Johnson).

86. Olive b. c.1875.

87. Parthena D. b. 7 MAY 1878 Mich. d. 1928 (g.s.) bur. Maple Grove Cem..
Fremont, Mich. m. 22 DEC 1898 William Misner b. 1862 d.
1936 s. of Ephraim Misner and Maryetta Darling.

Sarah m/1 Rufus W. Seman who poss. d. c.1864 (perhaps in the Civil War) and upon her marriage to Samuel D. Coburn she brought with her two daughters with surname SEMAN:

Dorothea b. c.1859 Mich.

Lucy b. c.1861 Mich.

From the Portrait & Biographical Album of Newaygo Co., Michigan (1884):

SAMUEL D. COBURN, farmer, section 29, Sherman Township, was born in New York, March 2, 1825. His parents, Girden and Cynthia (Phillips) Coburn, were natives of Vermont. They first settled in Genesee Co., N.Y., and afterward removed to Ohio, where they lived 17 years, then went to DeKalb Co., Ind., where the mother died; the father then came to Michigan and lived in Muskegon County until his death. Samuel remained at home until 22 years of age. He first purchased a farm in Allen Co., Ind., which he lived on two years, then moved to LaGrange County, same State, and worked at coopering five years. He then returned to DeKalb County and remained until 1865, and in the winter of that year came to Newaygo County and bought 80 acres of wild land. He has since sold this land, and purchased 120 acres where he now resides. He has 40 acres under tillage.

He was married in DeKalb Co., Ind., to Annie Perry, a native of Ohio, who died five years after her marriage. Mr. Coburn then married Ann Dermott, of DeKalb Co., Ind., who died in 1863, leaving five children: Henrietta, Franklin W., Charles F., Ella S. and Carrie. For a third wife Mr. C. married Sarah E. (Walkley), widow of Rufus W. Seaman, and daughter of Oliver and Parthena (Smith) Walkley. Mr. and Mrs. Coburn have three children: Viola L., Oliver L. and Parthena D. Mr. C. has held the office of Highway Commissioner; was elected Justice of the Peace, but did not serve; was School Director five years. He was elected Treasurer of Sherman Township in the spring of 1883, and is the present incumbent. In politics he is a Republican, and himself and wife are members of Fremont Grange, No. 494, P. of H.; they are also members of the Disciples Church.

Obituary. Source unk.

Oliver L. Coburn, son of Samuel and Sarah Coburn, was born near Fremont Nov. 25, 1873, and died in Grand Rapids April 19, 1910, aged 36 years, 4 months, 24 days. He spent the early part of his life in Fremont and was once a member of the Church of Christ. When about 21 he took up a homestead claim in Ontonagon county, Upper Peninsula, where he has spent most of his remaining years. He was taken with appendicitis, at Culver, and five days later was sent to the Health and Home sanitorium at Grand Rapids, where he passed away April 19. Relatives here were not informed of his illness until after his death. Deceased leaves a mother, five sisters and three brothers, and many relatives to mourn his departure. His brother-in-law, J. W. Johnson, went to Grand Rapids and returned with the remains Friday evening. The funeral was held April 23 and he was laid to rest in the family lot in Fremont cemetery.

23. WILLIAM RILEY COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 13 NOV 1825 Bristol, Ontario Co., NY d. 25 NOV 1912 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 4 FEB 1849 DeKalb Co., Ind. Cynthia Lovesta Gee b. 4 FEB 1831 New Lyme, Ashtabula Co., Ohio d. 15 MAY 1906 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Samuel G. Gee and Hannah Hoyt.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +88. Susan Amanda b. 25 FEB 1851 d. 1925.
- +89. Florence Delia b. 15 NOV 1852 d. 9 OCT 1941.
- +90. Calvin Lemuel b. 28 AUG 1854 d. 12 MAR 1949.
- +91. Louisa Antoinette b. 10 AUG 1857 d. 16 JUN 1954.
- +92. Ezra Leroy b. 20 JAN 1861 d. 1 JUN 1920.
- +93. Mary Cordelia b. 12 JAN 1865 d. 28 AUG 1958.
- 94. William Franklin b. 20 NOV 1867 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 16 JAN 1920
Richland Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. unm.
- +95. Harmon Adelma b. 23 MAY 1873 d. 11 MAR 1923.
- +96. Nellie Lucretia b. 8 JUN 1874 d. 22 OCT 1941.

Tales within the family attributed to William Riley Coburn speak of his having been bound as a child to his sister Sibyl Coburn Headley who apparently had no children of her own; also, of the journey from northeastern Ohio to DeKalb Co., Ind. through the difficult and hazardous region known as the Black Swamp where trees were cut to lay a corduroy road in otherwise impassable places.

Obituary: The St. Joe News; Wed., May 23, 1906

CYNTHIA LOVESTA GEE was born February 4, 1831 in New Lyme, Ashtabula County, Ohio and died May 15, 1906 at her home near Coburn's Corners, at the age of 75 years, 3 months, and 11 days.

She came with her parents to DeKalb County, Indiana in 1839, thus spending nearly her whole life in this neighborhood, and was acquainted with the hardships of pioneer life.

In 1849 she was married to Wm. R. Coburn, to them were born nine children, all of whom are living to mourn the loss of a dear devoted mother. In early life, at the age of ten, she gave herself to Christ, was immersed by Elder Benjamin Alton and has always lived an exemplary Christian life. She can certainly say with Paul: I have fought a good fight; I have kept the faith, henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, not only for me, but for all that love his Appearing.

She leaves to mourn her departure, a husband, nine children, twenty-six grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren, one brother (half-brother Samuel Gustin Flint; CEB), two sisters (half-sisters; CEB), and numerous other relatives and friends. She has gone, but her good works will live in the hearts of those who knew her, for to know her was to love her. In the church and in sickness she was always faithful, always to be depended upon for help and assistance. She has left a precious memory free from spot or blemish that will linger with the loved ones who remain.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Dec. 5, 1912

WM. R. COBURN was born in the town of Bristol, Ontario county, New York, November 13, 1825, and died at his home November 25, 1912, aged 87 years and 12 days. His father was Gerdin Coburn and his mother was Cynthia (Philips) Coburn. At the age of two years he removed with his parents to Trumbull County, Ohio and at the age of fifteen the family removed to DeKalb County, Indiana. They settled on a farm one mile east of Coburn's Corners, where the deceased grew to manhood. He was the sixth of a family of eleven children, all of whom have preceded him to the better world. In 1845, at the age of twenty years, he united with the Christian Church at Coburn's Corners and for sixty-seven years has been a member of that organization.

February 4, 1849, Mr. Coburn was united in marriage to Cynthia Lovesta Gee and to this union was born nine children all of whom are living. Mrs. Jacob Shaffer, Mrs. Ella Wilmot, Calvin Coburn, Mrs. Wallace Abel, H. A. Coburn, Mrs. A. D. Perry, Frank Coburn, all of DeKalb County; Mrs. E. N. Wade of Kalamazoo, Michigan and E. L. Coburn, of St. Louis, Mo. Since the age of fifteen years his entire life has been spent in DeKalb Co., with the exception of two years spent in Allen County.

24. ELERY ORSON COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. APR 1830 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 26 NOV 1905 Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich. Ae 75y 7m 3d (paralysis and old age) s. of Gurden Coburn and Cynthia Phillips m. 29 FEB 1852 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell Ann M. Headley b. c.1834 Ohio d. 7 AUG 1869 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. Ae 35y 9m 13d dau. of Mankin Headley and Sybella Hovey.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +97. Henry Hiram b. JUN 1853 .
- +98. William Wallace b. 25 SEP 1854 d. 12 AUG 1907.
- +99. Benjamine b. NOV 1856 d. 21 MAR 1928.
- 100. Charles B. c.1858 m. Ada - - - .
- +101. Stella L. b. JAN 1861.
- 102. Minta (twin) b. 4 JUL 1869 (adopted by Orvin Headley).
- 103. Minna A. (twin) b. 4 JUL 1869 d. 20 AUG 1869 Ae 1m 16d.

Orson, as he preferred to be known, was a farmer and also was a carpenter.

The family was enumerated 1860 at DeKalb Co., Ind. and in 1870 at Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. In 1900, Orson was living with his daughter Stella L. Moore at Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich.

25. CALVIN JAMES COBURN (Gurden, Ebenezer) b. NOV 1832 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 14 MAR 1908 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. (insanity) bur. Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich. s. of Gurden Coburn and Cynthia Phillips m. 30 DEC 1855 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Johnson Rachael A. Miller b. SEP 1836 Ohio d. 8 JUN 1915 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. Ae 78y 8m 20d (Nephritis Apoplexy) bur. Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Christian Miller and Ruth Jones.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

104. Charles Cassius b. JAN 1857 Ind. d. 19 SEP 1927 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. (cerebral hemorrhage) bur. Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich. He was a house painter in occupation and also reported to have been a tailor. unm.

Calvin's parents were living with him as enumerated in the 1860 census at DeKalb Co., Ind. (Concord Twp.).

31. LUCY MARIA BOWEN (Dorcas, Ebenezer) b. 3 DEC 1829 d. 11 JAN 1918 dau. of James Bowen Jr. and Dorcas Coburn m. 8 DEC 1853 Warner Whitney Freer b. 17 JUN 1828 Seneca Co., NY d. 25 NOV 1905 Plainview, Minn. s. of William D. Freer.

Children: (Surname FREER)

105. Jennie Adel b. 4 JAN 1855 m. George E. Crossman.
106. Effie Marinda b. 21 JAN 1857 m/1 Ivan A. Hebner m/2 Henry B. Wedge.
107. James William b. 23 NOV 1858 m. Emma Guile.
108. Mabelle Dorcas b. 18 FEB 1861 m. Edward G. Dodge.
109. Jenette Irene b. 16n MAR 1863 d. 27 APR 1882.
110. Lucy Grace b. 19 FEB 1867 m. George M. Smith.
111. Hortense Viola b. 13 APR 1869 m. William J. Thompson.

33. JOHN H. COBURN (Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 30 JUN (or 1 JUL) 1814 Ontario Co., NY d. 13 SEP 1875 Ae 62y 2m 13d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. and Phoebe Henry m. 15 SEP 1836 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Lewis Abel, J.P. Sally Ann Root b. 1820 Conn. d. 22 MAY 1886 Ae 66y 9m bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of prob. Joseph Root.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +112. Mary A. b. 1837 d. 1910.
+113. Gilbert O. b. 1841.
+114. Oliver Perry b. MAY 1843 .
115. Eveline b. 1846 Ind. m. 20 AUG 1861 by R. L. Taylor, min. William D. Guthrie
116. Fidelia b. 1848 Ind. m. 23 OCT 1867 Edwin E. Hale.
117. John Edward b. 1853 (g.s.) d. 31 OCT 1921 Milford Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Hicksville, Ohio m. 25 NOV 1879 Defiance Co., Ohio by Rev. A. S. Gorrell Mary F. Hill b. 1852 (g.s.) d. 5 SEP 1924 Hicksville, Ohio bur. Hicksville, Ohio.

John apparently was among the early arrivals in DeKalb Co., Ind. coming from Trumbull Co., Ohio and is believed to have relocated his family to Indiana c.1838; being found in the census of 1850, 1860, and 1870 at Newville Twp., DeKalb Co. He was a farmer in occupation.

34. OTIS R. COBURN (Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 1 NOV 1816 Ontario Co., NY d. 31 DEC 1887 Gustavus, Trumbull Co., Ohio bur. Christian church Cem., Cortland,

Ohio s. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. and Deliverance Wilson m. 15 JAN 1836/37 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Buel Deming, J.P. Emma A. Barstow b. 14 MAR 1820 Ohio d. 15 JAN 1903 bur. Christian church cem., Cortland, Ohio dau. of Joseph Barstow and Betsey Gray.

Children: Surname COBURN)

- 118. Wallace b. 2 FEB 1838 Ohio d. 23 MAR 1862 during the War of the Rebellion in the Battle of Winchester, Co. C 7th OVI; bur. with his parents in Christian church cem., Cortland, Ohio.
- +119. Pluma b. 1841 Ohio d. 1916.
- 120. Virgil b. 31 MAY 1846 Ohio d. 10 MAR 1865 Camp Chase Co. E 196 OVI.
- +121. Bruce b. 10 AUG 1849 d. 19 DEC 1932.
- 122. Reumah b. 27 DEC 1851 prob. Wisc. d. 16 SEP 1853 bur Christian church cem., Cortland, Ohio.
- 123. Verona b. 1854 Wisc. d. after 1905 m. Thaddeus Bover (Booth or Boone?) of Va.
- 124. Harry b. 18 OCT 1856 d. 12 APR 1859 bur. Christian church cem., Cortland, Ohio.
- 125. Laura b. 11 AUG 1861 d. 15 JUN 1948 m/1 - - - Johnson m/2 Harry Rogers Cooley.

Otis was the only member of his parent's family to remain behind when the move was made from Trumbull County to DeKalb County, Ind. We can only speculate about the reason for this; perhaps it was because of his land holdings or possibly to stay close to Emma's parents. It is known that Otis' family removed from Ohio c.1850 to homestead farm land in Wisconsin, remaining there until perhaps c.1855 to satisfy the homestead requirement and obtain title to the land. However, too much sickness and the death of two children there resulted in a return to Trumbull Co., Ohio where they are found in the 1860 census at Bazetta. The trip from Wisconsin to Ohio was made by train as far as Ravenna, Ohio which was the end of the rail line and other means had to be found in order to reach their destination. Emma's parents also relocated to Wisconsin where they remained.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Fri., Jan. 13, 1888

OTIS R. COBURN, oldest brother of C. M. and R. G. Coburn, of Coburntown, died very suddenly (heart disease, CEB) at his home in (Green,) Trumbull Co., Ohio, December 31st, 1887, and was buried January 2nd, 1888, age 71 years. Mr. Coburn was born in Ontario Co., New York, November 1816, and moved with his parents to Trumbull Co., Ohio, in 1827, being at that time eleven years old. He was married to Emma Barstow in 1836. With the exception of five years spent in Wisconsin, he has continued to reside in Trumbull Co. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his loss, one son and three daughters; he also has four brothers and one sister in this county. He had been a member of the Christian church for over fifty years, and has always been a zealous and faithful christian, therefore he was prepared to meet his God. "Be ye also ready, for in the hour ye think not the bride-groom cometh."

Obituary: Warren (Ohio) Daily Chronicle

MRS. EMMA COBURN died Friday evening, January 15 (1905), at 11 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Laura Johnston at Cortland. Mrs. Coburn was almost 85 years of age. About two weeks ago she was stricken with paralysis. Until that time her health had been very good. She was the daughter of Joseph and Betsey Barstow of Mecca and in 1836 was united in marriage to Otis R. Coburn, who died in 1888. Her entire life with the exception of five years in Wisconsin has been spent in Trumbull County. She was the mother of eight children, four of whom survive her. They are Mrs. Pluma Shipman of Johnston, Mrs. Thaddeus Bover of Virginia, Bruce Coburn of Troy, O., and Mrs. Laura Johnston of Cortland. The funeral services were held at the Christian Church, of which she had for many years been a faithful member, Wednesday at 10 o'clock and were conducted by her pastor, Rev. B. M. Derthick, assisted by Rev. H. S. Dray. Interment was in the Disciple cemetery where she was laid to rest by the side of her husband with whom she lived for 50 years.

Mrs. Coburn, or Aunt Emma, as she was familiarly known, was of a genial kindly disposition. Her bright smile and pleasant greeting will be much missed by her many friends.

35. PHEBE H. COBURN (Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 15 AUG 1818 Ontario Co., NY d. before 1885 dau. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. and Deliverance Wilson m. 21/27 APR 1836 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Lewis Abel, J.P. Isaac Meek b. c.1812 Ind.

Children: (Surname MEEK)

- 126. Phebe b. c.1838 Ohio; resided in 1850 with Asher and Susan Coburn.
- 127. Lucius M. b. c.1839 Ind.
- 128. William b. c.1841 Ind.
- 129. Orlando b. c.1843 Ind.
- 130. Harrison H. b. c.1848 d. 1911 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. believed to have m. Mary E. - - - - b. 1850 d. 1929 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind.

Isaac and Phebe reportedly resided in 1840 at Grant Co., Ind., in 1850 at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. and in 1885 at Union Mills, LaGrange Co., Ind. There was living with this family in 1850 George Abel b. c.1831.

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County (p.287):

Mr. Isaac Meeks, now of Union Mills, Lagrange County is my informant.

"I came into the Coburn settlement, Concord Township soon after Mr. Asher Coburn (who was the first settler) and built a cabin fourteen feet square and moved therein. Some time after this Mr. Coburn and John H. Coburn, the one my father-in-law, moved into the settlement, and I offered them both the hospitalities of my cabin. We were now fourteen in number, in a cabin fourteen feet square and one story high. In a little while every one of us took down sick, and we had to swing up beds to the sides of the cabin, one above the other, to accommodate all the sick. I was sick four or five weeks, and the rest almost as many months."

37. ANN (OR ANNA) A. COBURN Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 5 JUN 1823 Ontario Co., NY dau. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. and Deliverance Wilson m. 14/15 JUN 1842 DeKalb

Co., Ind. John E. Dermott, his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- 131. Sylvester b. c.1843 Ind.
- +132. Mary Adelia b. 8 OCT 1844 d. 23 AUG 1905.
- 133. Alice b. c.1847.

John E. Dermott apparently died before 1850 when we find Ann Dermott enumerated at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. With her at that time was Francis Coburn b. c.1827, a farmer, s. of Asher W. and Hannah Coburn; also Henry Coburn b. c.1930 Ohio, a cooper, whose parentage has not been ascertained.

Ann m/2 6 JUL 1851 DeKalb Co., Ind. her first cousin Samuel D. Coburn as his 2nd wife (see #22 in this volume for a report on their family).

38. RUSSELL G. COBURN (Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 8 AUG 1825 Ontario Co., NY d. 26 JAN 1912 (g.s.) Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. and Deliverance Wilson m. 5/6 JUL (or 12 AUG) 1845 DeKalb Co., Ind. Mary (Polly) Milliman b. JUL 1824 (g.s.) NY (often given as Ohio in error) d. 1901 (g.s.) DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John M. Milliman and Mary A. Warren.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

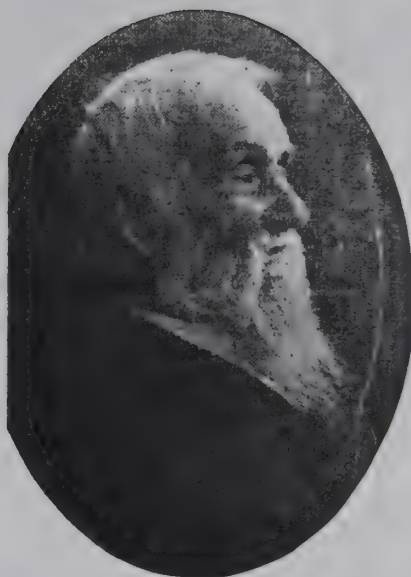
- +134. Augustus B. b. 1848 Ind.
- +135. Sarah Jane b. 16 MAR 1850 d. 27 JAN 1904.
- +136. Phoebe Evangalene b. 7 NOV 1853 d. 11 DEC 1918.
- +137. Elsie Ann b. 26 AUG 1857.
- +138. Mary Elizabeth b. 10 JAN 1859 d. 21 MAY 1909.
- 139. Alva S. b. JAN 1860 (g.s.) Ind. d. 6 MAY 1927 Ae 66y 3m 23d Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 8 AUG 1903 DeKalb Co., Ind. Annetta Purdy b. 1861. No issue. She had m/1 - - - - Murphy and had a son Mark Murphy who m. Gladys M. - - - - and they reportedly had children (sons).
- +140. Warren W. b. 6 MAY 1861 d. 9 JUN 1938.
- +141. Caroline E. b. c.1864/64.
- +142. Harriet Almira b. 1 APR 1868.

The name of Russell's mother has been variously recorded as Delvina, Delia, and even Ollie. In 1850 she was enumerated with son Russell's family and also his brother Chauncey (given as Chancy in the census) and sister Caroline.

The following interesting item appears in the St. Joe News issue of Thurs., Jan. 7, 1909: "Dear Sir: I notice in a recent issue of the Tribune the statement that a certain man of this (DeKalb) county has voted in the same precinct for sixty years and has never voted anywhere else and is eighty-one years old. That is a remarkable case surely, but I can do him a few better. I have voted in the same township sixty-two years, and never voted anywhere else, and will be eighty-four years old next August, the Lord willing, and have lived on the same farm seventy years." R. G. Coburn; St. Joe, Ind.



Edwin R. Coburn (#49) and
cousin Sibyl Coburn (#28)



Charles M. Coburn (#39)



Elizabeth M. Johnson
w. of Edwin R. Coburn



Edwin R. Coburn (#49)

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

RUSSELL G. COBURN, a son of Ebenezer and Deliverance (Wilson) Coburn, was born in Ontario County, N. Y., Aug. 8, 1825 and was two years of age when his parents moved to Trumbull County, Ohio, and thirteen when they moved to DeKalb County, Ind. He remained with his parents, assisting in the cultivation of the farm till his marriage and then took charge of the old homestead and cared for his parents the remainder of their lives. For forty-six years he has lived on his farm, and has witnessed and materially assisted the development of the county. For twenty years he worked at the carpenter and joiner's trade in connection with farming. He was married July 6, 1845 to Mary Milliman, daughter of John and Mary (Warren) Milliman. They have had a family of eleven children, nine of whom are living -- Augustus B., Sarah J., Phoebe Eve, Elsie Ann, Mary E., Alva S., Warren W., Caroline E. and Harriet A. Mr. and Mrs. Coburn have been members of the Christian church forty-five years. Politically he has been a member of the Republican party since its organization.

The reason for the discrepancy in the number of children named and the quantity of 11 claimed in the foregoing paragraph is unknown. Perhaps two died in infancy.

39. CHARLES MARBLE COBURN (Ebenezer Jr., Ebenzer) b. 21 NOV 1827 Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 30 MAY 1920 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr., and Deliverance Wilson m/1 14 NOV 1846 Almira Milliman b. 22 SEP 1828 NY d.. 12 FEB 1871/72 (g.s. 1872) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John M. Milliman and Mary Warren.

(Children: (Surname COBURN)

143. Harriet E. b. 19 OCT 1847 Ind. d. 5 MAR 1867 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

144. Helen A. b. 13 JAN 1849 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 12 JAN 1916 Grand Rapids, Mich. m. 31 MAY 1877 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Jacob Walborn, J.P. William H. Kimes b. 1848 (g.s.) Ohio; both are bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. but no death date for him is inscribed on the marker. From her obituary in the St. Joe News; Thurs., Jan. 20, 1916:
Helen A. (marriage rec. says "Evena" CEB) Coburn Kimes was born on what is now the Will Maxwell farm, east of St. Joe, Ind., Jan. 13, 1849. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coburn, lived in the log house which had the unique place in history of having been the home of Eld. Benjamin Alton, when he organized the Christian Church at Coburn's Corners under its sheltering roof, 80 years ago, the first church constituted in DeKalb County. Helen attended school at Coburn's Corners until about 12 years of age, when she with others of that neighborhood were transferred to the new school that was started at Cheesetown (the site of the Alton Cem. - CEB) near her home. About two years later she suffered an injury which necessitated the amputation of her right leg at the hip. In spite of this severe handicap,

she continued her activities in school and in the social life of the community, helped by the use of a crutch which she has used all her life with remarkable efficiency.

On May 31, 1877, she was united in marriage with William Kimes. They spent the first years of their married life on the old Kimes farm near Spencerville, Ind. About 35 years ago they moved to a farm near Fremont, Mich., but at the time of her death Mrs. Kimes lived at Grand Rapids, Mich. Here after a short illness from pneumonia, she died on Jan. 12, 1916, being 67 years of age. Mrs. Kimes, with intelligent faith and a loving heart obeyed the call of the Lord Jesus Christ on Aug. 30, 1863 when about 15 years of age and united with the Christian church at Coburn's Corners in a gospel meeting led by Eld. Lockhart with that congregation.

- +145. Emma A. b. 16 SEP 1850 d. 3 JUN 1926.
- 146. Rosalie F. b. 7 DEC 1851 d. 7 DEC 1865 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 147. Agnes E. b. 27 AUG 1853 d. 11 SEP 1854 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
- +148. William H. b. 16 JAN 1857 d. 3 JUL 1932.
- +149. Charles M. b. FEB 1859 d. 16 NOV 1925.
- 150. Otis B. b. c.1863. Reportedly went to Nebraska expecting to herd cattle. Last known he was in DeKalb County NOV 1885 but planned to return to his home at Indianaola, Nebraska.

After the death of his first wife, Charles M. Coburn m/2 5 FEB 1874 by J. G. Martin Jane Elizabeth Allen b. JUN 1851 Ohio d. 27 MAR 1937 Ae 85 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William Allen and Elizabeth Brownley (Brownlee).

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 151. Allen Everett b. MAR 1875 Ind. d. 15 DEC 1946 Ae 71 DeKalb Co., Ind. (coronary occlusion) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. unkm. Allen worked for a time in the railroad shops at Garrett, Ind. but mainly followed the profession of painting.
- 152. Clarence Alonzo b. MAR 1877 Ind. d. 8 MAY 1947 Ae 70 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. and divd. Eva - - - -. Reported to have had inf. s. who d. 1909. Clarence is last known to have been located at the county farm near Auburn, Ind. in 1946.
- +152. Ella Clay b. 30 JAN 1879 Ind. d. 19 FEB 1958.
- +153. Caroline Belle b. c.1881 d. 13 MAY 1961.
- 154. John Henry b. 29 MAR 1884 Ind. d. 27 JAN 1955 Ae 71 Rt. #1, St. Joe, Ind. m. 20 OCT 1906 DeKalb Co., Ind. Jane Allen Carnes b. c.1887 dau. of J. H. Carnes and Ruth - - - -. John Henry is bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. In 1917, the family relocated to Oaklander near Indianapolis, Ind.
- +155. Harlan D. b. 29 MAR 1886.
- +156. Lester C. b. 30 MAY 1893 d. 25 JAN 1974.

Charles' middle name often has been reported to be "Marcellus" rather than "Marble" which is believed to be correct. The confusion may arise from the fact that his niece Caroline E. Coburn married Marcellus Gee.

Prominent in the community, items pertaining to members of this family often appeared in the local newspaper, the St. Joe News. The issue of 27 NOV 1919 contained the following article: "92 Years Old and Still Goes. St. Joe has the distinction of having the oldest man in DeKalb county, Charles Coburn, who was 92 years old last Friday, November 21st. He has lived near this place for the past eighty-one years, having come to this place with his parents from Trumbull county, Ohio, when he wasn't quite eleven years old. He is in fairly good health for a man of his years and can tell of the many changes in this country in the past eighty years. He is spending the winter with his youngest daughter Mrs. Sam Keesler, who entertained the following in honor of his natal day: Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hart, Mrs. Winifred Hart and son Robert, Mrs. Amanda Coburn, Clyde Hart and George Milliman."

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

CHARLES M. COBURN, farmer and stock-raiser, was born in Trumbull County, Ohio Nov. 21, 1827, a son of Ebenezer and Deliverance (Wilson) Coburn. In August, 1838, his parents moved to DeKalb County, Ind., and settled in Concord Township where he was reared, his youth being spent in assisting his father clear and cultivate a frontier farm. When seventeen years of age he began to work for the farmers by the month, and when nineteen years of age he was married, and then for several years rented land in this township. In February, 1855, he bought forty acres of timber land which he cleared, and to which he has since added thirty acres. This he has brought under a good state of cultivation and now has a pleasant home and is surrounded with all that makes life comfortable. He was married Nov. 15, 1846 to Almira Milliman, a native of New York, daughter of John and Mary (Warren) Milliman. To them were born eight children, five of whom are living -- Helen A., Emma A., William H. H., Charles Marcellus and Otis B. Harriet E., Agnes B., and Rosalie F. are deceased. Mrs. Coburn died Feb. 12, 1871 and Feb. 5, 1874, Mr. Coburn married Jane E. Allen, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Brownley) Allen. They have five children -- Allen E., Clarence A., Ella C., Caroline B., and John H. Mr. Coburn is a member of the Disciples church. Politically he is a Republican.

Obituary: The St. Joe News; Thurs., June 17, 1920

Charles Marble Coburn, son of Ebenezer and Deliverance (Wilson) Coburn, was born in Trumbull county, Ohio, Nov. 21, 1827. Died May 30, 1920, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Keesler, in St. Joe, Indiana, at the ripe age of 92 yrs., 6 mos., and 9 days. Was the last survivor of a family of eleven children. He moved with his parents to DeKalb county, Ind., in August 1838, where he assisted his father clear up the land upon which they lived. He was early inured to the privations and hardships incident to pioneer life.

He was married Nov. 15, 1846 to Almira Milliman, a native of New York, daughter of John and Mary (Warren) Milliman. To them were born eight children, four of whom are living, Emma A., William H. H., Charles Marcellus, and Otis B.

The deceased are Harriet E., Agnes B., Rosalie F., and Helen A. His first wife died Feb. 12, 1871. Feb. 5, 1874 he was again married, this time to Jane E. Allen, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Brownley) Allen. To this latter union were born seven children, all of whom are living: Allen E., Clarence A., E. Clay, C. Belle, John H., Harlan D., and Lester C. He leaves a wife, 11 children, 32 grandchildren and 36 great grandchildren.

In his lifetime he has witnessed the transition from ox-drawn sled to motor cars and aircraft. There were no cities west of the Alleghenies. St. Louis, Indianapolis, Chicago, Cincinnati, Louisville and Pittsburgh were but settlements or Indian camps. The forests were unbroken save for Indian trails which later became the white man's roads.

In his early youth he made a profession of faith and was buried in baptism with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and has ever since been a consistent follower of Him.

Services were conducted at his home in the grove planted by his own hands. Burial in Alton Cemetery.

Obituary: The St. Joe News; Thurs., Apr. 8, 1937

Jane Elizabeth Allen, daughter of William and Betsy Elizabeth (Brownlee) Allen, was born near Fountain Corners, Defiance County, Ohio, June 17, 1851; died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Keesler, in St. Joe, on March 27, 1937; aged 85 years, 9 months and 10 days. Of her immediate family, she is survived by one brother, Alonzo J. Allen. Two brothers, William and John, and three sisters, Mary (Warner), Josephine (Wilmot), and Wyone, preceded her in death.

On February 5, 1874, she was married to Charles Coburn. To this union was born seven children. Clarence, John and Lester are living at home. Clay, and the daughter Belle Keesler, live in St. Joe; and Harlan lives in Boston, Mass. Beside these there are many grand and great grandchildren and some cousins living in Colorado. In or near the year of 1887, during a series of revival meetings conducted by Elder T. A. Hedges, Mrs. Coburn gave her heart to her Lord, and in obedience to His command, was buried with Him in baptism.

Though for years, due to infirmities of the flesh, she was deprived of the pleasure of attendance at church services, yet she was there in spirit, for her faith never wavered.

Of a quiet and retiring disposition, she sought no social honors, preferring, rather, the domestic duties which administer to the wants of her family, she seldom left the precincts of her home. Even in suffering, her chief concern was for her children.

Burial was in Alton Cemetery.

43. CAROLINE COBURN (Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 8 AUG 1836 (g.s.) or 1837 Ohio d. 1915 dau. of Ebenezer Coburn Jr. and Deliverance Wilson m. 24 DEC 1854 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell John W. Murphy f. 1832 (g.s.) d. 1890 (g.s.). Both bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname MURPHY)

- 157. Henry b. c.1856.
- 158. Russell b. c.1865.
- 159. Bertha b. c.1870.
- 160. Lynde b. c.1877.
- 161. Charlie b. c.1879.

One of the daughters reportedly m. John Acton but it is not known which one it was.

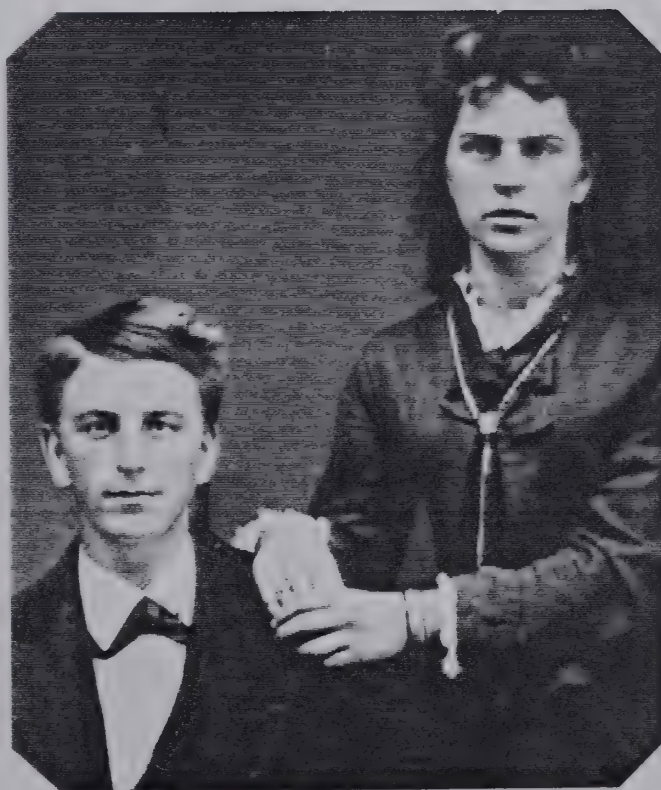
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Louisa Antoinette Coburn (#91)
& husb. Wallace E. Abel



Russell G. Coburn (#38)
& w. Mary (Polly) Milliman



Calvin L. Coburn (#90) &
sister L. Antoinette (#92)

COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION FOUR
(Coburntown Branch)

44. PHOEBE COBURN (Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 27 AUG 1825 Ohio d. 22 NOV 1900 Ae 75y 2m 25d Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Asher W. Coburn and Hannah Headley m. 22 OCT 1845 DeKalb Co., Ind. Jacob Dermott b. 16 MAY 1824/25 Penn. d. 31 JAN 1900 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. Ae 75y 8m 15d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Peter Dermott and Hannah Williams.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- 162. Charles C. (or M.) d. 19 DEC 1846 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
- +163. Ashur Marion b. 23 MAR 1847 d. 31 DEC 1902.
- +164. John Evans b. 29 JAN 1849 d. 25 MAY 1944.
- +165. Olive C. b. 18 AUG 1854.
- +166. J. Miller b. 18 AUG 1856 d. 15/18 FEB 1936.

Phoebe's brother, Frances, b. c.1827 was enumerated with this family in the 1870 census at DeKalb Co., Ind.

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

JACOB DERMOTT, farmer and stock-raiser, Concord Township, was born in Schuylkill County, Pa., May 16, 1824, a son of Peter and Hannah (Williams) Dermott. His father, a native of Ireland, came to the United States when a young man, and the latter a native of one of the Southern States of Welsh descent. When he was fifteen years of age his parents moved to Ohio, and settled in Paulding County. Two years later he went to Ft. Wayne, and for six years was engaged in the manufacture of chairs. In 1847 he bought eighty acres of unimproved land in Allen County, which he subsequently sold, and bought 160 acres of partially improved land in Concord Township, DeKalb County, which he exchanged about five years later for the farm where he now lives, which contains 120 acres of valuable land all under cultivation, and has since engaged in agricultural pursuits. He was married Oct. 23, 1845, to Phoebe Coburn daughter of Asher Coburn, one of the first settlers of DeKalb County. They have had five children, four of whom are living -- Asher M., John E., Olive C., and J. M. Their eldest son Charles M. is deceased. Mrs. Dermott is a member of the disciples church. In politics Mr. Dermott is a Democrat.

46. ROXANA COBURN (Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 19 APR 1829 (g.s.) Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 1896 (g.s.) Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Asher W. Coburn and Hannah Headley m. 30 APR 1848 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell, Evangelist Harvey H. Ackley b. 17 APR 1826 Tuscarawas Co., Ohio d. 19 Apr 1864 at Ringgold, Ga. while serving in the War of the Rebellion, reportedly bur. at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Children: (Surname ACKLEY)

167. Hannah Esther b. 19 APR 1849.
168. Ignatious Lionel b. 27 AUG 1852 d. 17 MAY 1927 (Vancouver, Wash. ?)
m. - - - and reportedly had three sons (one named
Blaine) and two daughters living at the time of his
death.
169. Mary Almeda b. 21 MAR 1856 m. DeWitt Sullivan Johnson.
170. Almira Minerva b. 31 OCT 1857.
171. Edna Belle b. 8 AUG 1861.

It is probable that there was another son also named Harvey H. Ackley known to be living at Hicksville, Ohio in May, 1884. At this same location in 1887, he is reported to have bought out a candy store after having given some consideration to the possibility of moving West.

48. LAURA E. COBURN (John F., Asher, Ebenezer) b. c.1834 Ohio d. 28 NOV 1871 dau. of John Fitch Coburn and Minerva Twadell m. 16 MAY 1852 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Alex Douglas, min. as his 2nd wife Jonas Emanuel b. 15 APR 1818 Hardin Co., Va. s. of Jacob Emanuel and Mary Kimball.

Children: (Surname EMANUEL)

172. Angelina d. before 1885.
173. Anoret d. before 1885.
174. Henry d. before 1885.
175. Hamilton (a physician in Ohio by 1885).
176. Marcus C. (an attorney in DeKalb Co., Ind. by 1885).
177. Ella m. Bruce L. Bogorte (an attorney of Dakota by 1885).
178. Gerry E. (a physician by 1885; then the youngest man ever graduated from Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill.)

Jonas Emanuel m/1 25 DEC 1842 Esther Hawley dau. of Richard Hawley; their children (surname EMANUEL):

Mary Esther b. c.1947.
Charles E. m. A. C. Taylor and res. Kansas in 1885.
Appelles D. b. c.1844 d. 1876 of typhoid fever, a
physician in Ohio, leaving his widow and
three children.

Jonas Emanuel m/3 21 JAN 1877 Lucinda Silsbee.

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

JONAS EMANUEL, M. D., is the oldest practising physician of DeKalb County. He was born in Hardin County, Va., April 15, 1818, a son of Jacob and Mary (Kimball) Emanuel, the former a native of Germany, and the latter of Virginia of German descent. When he was about ten years old his parents moved to Fayette County, Ohio where they died. In 1840 he began the study of medicine with Dr. Thomas MacGorough, a prominent physician of old Chillicothe, and remained with him three years. He took his first course of lectures at Cincinnati, and graduated from the Ft. Wayne Medical College. He began the practice of his profession at Franconia, Putnam Co., Ohio, and Dec. 9, 1843, came to DeKalb County and located in Spencerville. Since his settlement in DeKalb County

he has traveled about 150,000 miles, the greater part of it on horseback. He was for several years the only physician of this part of the country and his labors were necessarily very laborious, often having to go miles through the dense forest, and being obliged to carry a hickory torch to see his way. He has been successful in his practice, and not only has acquired a good property, but has endeared himself to the hearts of the people, especially of the old settlers, with whom he shared their privations and difficulties, never refusing on any account to attend one who needed his services. In February, 1880, Dr. Emanuel took his honorary degree at Ft. Wayne College. He is a member of the Allen County Medical Association. He was married Dec. 25, 1842, to Esther Hawley, daughter of Richard Hawley, and to them three children were born -- Mary E., wife of A. C. Taylor, of Kansas; Charles E., an attorney, of Auburn, and Appelles D., who was making a good record as a physician in Ohio, and in 1876 died of typhoid fever, aged thirty-two years, leaving a widow and three children. Mrs. Emanuel died Sept. 28, 1850, and May 16, 1852, Dr. Emanuel married Laura E. Coburn, a native of Trumbull County, Ohio, daughter of John Coburn. They had a family of seven children -- Angelina, deceased; Anoret and Henry are deceased; Hamilton is a physician of Ohio; Marcus C., an attorney of Dakota; Gerry E., a physician, the youngest man ever graduated from Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill. Dr. Emanuel lost his wife Nov. 28, 1871, and was again married Jan. 21, 1877, to Lucinda Silsbee. He has a fine farm of 200 acres in Concord Township, and one of the pleasantest homes in the county. In politics he was first a Whig, but now is a member of the Republican party.

50. WILMOT PROVISO COBURN (John F., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 6 JUN 1857 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 23 NOV 1938 Ae 81 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of John Fitch Coburn and Betsey Anna Wilmot m. 27 NOV 1887 DeKalb Co., Ind. Sarah Louisa Hilterbrand b. 26 OCT 1863 Ind. d. 15 MAR 1932 Ae 68 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Moses Hilterbrand and Mariah Zeigler; she is bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +179. Floyd J. b. 5 NOV 1888 d. 20 JUL 1981.
- 180. Ralph Edwin b. & d. 1890 Ae 9m.
- +181. Laura Mae b. 2 FEB 1894 living APR 1982.
- +182. Walter H. b. 9 OCT 1896 living 1983.
- +183. Delphia Maria b. 31 JUL 1899 d. 30 MAR 1935.
- +184. Kenneth Devere b. 30 JAN 1907 d. 30 NOV 1974.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Mar. 24, 1932.

Sarah Louisa, daughter of Moses and Maria Hilderbrand (sic), was born in Concord Township, on a farm two miles west of St. Joe on October 26, 1863. There she grew to young womanhood. At an early age she united with the Methodist Protestant Church of Concord, during the ministry of Brother Lineberry. In March of 1887 she united with the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners, under the ministry of J. A. Thomas, in which church she was a faithful worker and loyal follower of Jesus Christ until her death.

On November 27, 1887 she was married to Wilmot P. Coburn, whose home she gladdened with her presence for nearly forty-five years.

To this union were born six children: Floyd Coburn of Coburn's Corners; Ralph, deceased; Mrs. Laura Willard, of Marshalltown, Iowa; Walter, of Coburn's Corners; Mrs. Delphia Shaffer, of Pierceton, Indiana, and Kenneth still at home.

She passed away in the home in which she had lived her long married life on March 15, 1932, aged 68 years, 8 months, and 11 days.

She leaves to mourn their loss besides her husband and children, three sisters: Mrs. Elizabeth Kaylor of Auburn, Indiana; Mrs. Laura Jane DeBow, of Goshen, Indiana, and Mrs. Clara Belle Wright, of White Pigeon, Michigan. Three sisters and one brother having preceded her in death. Also twelve grandchildren, several nieces and nephews, and many other relatives and many friends.

(Among members of the family, Sarah was known as "Sadie." CEB)

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Dec. 1, 1938.

Wilmot P. Coburn was born near Coburn's Corner, June 6, 1857, and died in the same vicinity November 23, 1938, at the age of 81 years, 5 months and 17 days. His father was John F. Coburn, one of the original group that formed the Christian Church at Coburn's Corners, and his mother was Betsey Anna (Wilmot) Coburn.

Mr. Coburn was married to Sarah L. Hildebrand (sic), who died March 17, 1932. To this union were born four sons and two daughters: Floyd J. Coburn, Coburntown; Ralph C., deceased in infancy; Kenneth D., living with his father; Rev. Walter H., North Liberty, Indiana; Mrs. Mae Willard, Marshalltown, Iowa; Mrs. Delphia Shaffer, deceased. There are also thirteen grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Mr. Coburn lived continuously in the vicinity of his birth. He became a Christian early in life, in a meeting which was conducted by his own father. He possessed a simple, unquestioning faith which was not disturbed by trivial matters. To him the church was essential to the well-being of the present world, and the only hope for the future. He gave himself to its service fully. Doubtless he knew the local church more completely than any of its living members, and with his passing much of its past work will become obscure to those who remain.

He lived on a high moral level through his entire life. He was a good father, a good citizen, and a good neighbor. He answered to his family and community duties as truly as the steel responds to the magnet. And now that he is gone the place that he occupied so quietly looms large before us.

53. EBEN COLBURN FAUNCE (Charlotte, Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 FEB 1835 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 6 MAY 1911 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio bur. Christian Church Cem., Cortland, Ohio s. of Daniel Faunce and Charlotte Coburn m. 25 DEC 1860 Cortland, Ohio Roena Amelia Love b. 19 MAY 1840 Chautauqua Co., NY d. 13 JUN 1921 Lakewood, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio bur. Christian

Church Cem., Cortland, Ohio dau. of Harvey Love and Eliza Maxwell.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 185. Willis C. b. 30 NOV 1862 d. 8 APR 1898 Jackson, Tenn. unm.
- +186. Melvin Daniel b. 27 MAR 1866 d. 11 DEC 1925.
- 187. Alton D. b. 26 SEP 1873 d. 20 DEC 1874 Cortland, Ohio.

Eben Colburn Faunce spent thirty years in pastoral labors in northern Indiana and southern Michigan. He was also a farmer.

55. ORVIN HEADLEY (Celia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 DEC 1831 Trumbull Co., Ohio m. 12 JUN 1853 DeKalb Co., Ind. Julia A. Moore b. 7 JAN 1834 Portage Co., Ohio dau. of Drayton Moore and Sophronia Loomis.

Children: (Surname HEADLEY)

- +188. AD - Minta A. b. 4 JUL 1869

From the Portrait & Biographical Album of Newaygo Co., Mich. (1884):

ORVIN HEADLEY, farmer, section 35, Ashland Township, was born in Trumbull Co., Ohio, Dec. 5, 1831, and is the son of John and Celia (Coburn) Headley. His parents were natives respectively of Pennsylvania and New York. They were of German descent, and when the son was in his sixth year they removed to DeKalb Co., Ind. The father there engaged in farming and educated his children in accordance with his means and the facilities afforded by the locality and period.

Mr. Headley was married June 12, 1853, in DeKalb Co., Ind. to Julia A., daughter of Drayton and Sophronia (Loomis) Moore. Her parents were born in Massachusetts and New York and were of Puritan lineage. Mrs. Headley was born Jan. 7, 1834, in Portage Co., Ohio, and while she was yet an infant her parents removed to Medina Co., Ohio, and from there to DeKalb County. She secured a good education and was engaged a number of years in teaching in Indiana, and continued to follow the profession for two years after coming to Michigan. The family includes an adopted daughter, Minta A. Coburn, born July 4, 1869. Her parents were Orson and Ann (Headley) Coburn. Mr. and Mrs. Headley belong to the religious denomination known as Christians and hold their membership at Bailey.

In 1854, Mr. Headley came to Michigan. He moved his entire earthly outfit consisting of his wife, household effects and farm stock. The locomotive power consisted of an ox-team and the journey consumed 12 days. (He has since made the entire trip between "sun and sun." He settled first in Muskegon County, occupying the cabin which had been the home of Dr. Tatman, a name well-known in Newaygo County. During the first year he was engaged at chopping in the woods, and his wife taught school. He bought a farm under the Graduation Act. (This statutory provision related to Government lands which had been in market for various periods with reference to which it had been constructed. The prices for such lands varies in accordance with the time; those longest in market were offered at twenty-five cents an acre, and they were graded upwards to one dollar and twenty-five cents an acre.) Mr. Headley arranged for the

purchase of a tract of 40 acres in Ashland, at 75 cents per acre. This land was situated in so dense a wilderness that he was obliged to cut a road thereto. He cleared a piece of land of brush whereon to set his house, and devoted all the time he could spare to the improvement of his place, his leisure for that purpose being regulated by the question of supplying the necessities of life. He was in vigorous health, with a disposition to work, and found his resources in plentiful demand among neighbors who had more money than available strength; and he worked at clearing land until he had sufficiently improved his own property to sustain his family. The prosperity of Newaygo County is no mystery to an observer who considers what the necessities of its early settlers really were and all the privation and hardship they entailed., and the class of men who brought victory from such conditions. The generation of today would stand appalled if one simple condition of that period prevailed -- that of obtaining supplies from remote points -- even with the present facilities. The contrast proves the value of time and strength in the development of a new country, and that money may not always be a necessary means. Probably the most supreme moment of disgust experienced by Alexander Selkirk was that in which he discovered the nugget of gold and realized its intrinsic worthlessness. It is a significant fact that they who were compelled to carry supplies from Grand Rapids until their land became sufficiently productive to be made sustaining, feel so well compensated by their achievements that those days of effort have sunk to comparative nothingness, and it is certain that their cheerful, even joyous, recital of their experiences convey no impression of suffering or struggle. To his original purchase, Mr. Headley has added 60 acres, and has 40 acres under fine improvement.

Mr. Headley is a Republican in political belief and action. He ranks high in the esteem of his townsmen and has accepted the duties and responsibilities of many official positions. He has been Township Treasurer 13 succeeding years and is holding his second incumbency as Supervisor; is also Assessor and Treasurer of his school district, a position he has held 12 years. He belongs to the Order of Good Templars and is connected with Lodge No. 369, of Ashland, in which body he occupies the position of Lodge Deputy.

As a representative pioneer agriculturist of Newaygo County, the portrait of Mr. Headley is presented in this work

57. MARIETTA HEADLEY (Celia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. c.1838 Ohio d. 1887 (g.s.) dau. of John Headley and Celia Coburn m. Edwin Walkley b. NOV 1833.

Children: (Surname WALKLEY)

+189. Joseph Willis b. FEB 1866.

190. Alvin P. b. FEB 1870 Mich.

This family resided at Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich.

58. HARVEY HEADLEY (Celia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 OCT 1840 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of John Headley and Celia Coburn m. 23 DEC 1863 Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich. Elnora Moore b. 11 SEP 1846 Medina Co., Ohio dau. of Drayton Moore and Sophronia Loomis.

Children: (Surname HEADLEY)

191. AD - Mary E. b. 8 SEP 1868.

Enumerated with this family in the 1870 census at Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. were Harvey's mother, Celia Coburn Headley, together with her son Orson Coburn, and his son Benjamin Coburn. At this same time Harvey and Elnora Headley were living two doors away from his brother Orvin Headley and wife Julia; Elnora and Julia were sisters.

From the Portrait & Biographical Album of Newaygo Co., Mich. (1884):

HARVEY A. HEADLEY, farmer, section 35, Ashland Township, was born Oct. 6, 1840, in DeKalb Co., Ind., and is a son of John and Celia (Coburn) Headley, both of whom were natives of New England. When the son was 16 years of age they removed from DeKalb County to Michigan and settled on 60 acres of land in Ashland Township, where they have since resided.

Mr. Headley was the assistant of his father upon the farm until his marriage. He was married in Casnovia Township, Muskegon Co., Mich., Dec. 23, 1863, to Elnora, daughter of Dayton and Sophronia (Loomis) Moore. The parents were natives respectively of Massachusetts and New York, removing after their marriage to Ohio and finally settling in Medina County, where the daughter was born Sept. 11, 1846. When she was six months old they went to DeKalb Co., Ind. and in 1854 made another move to Muskegon Co., Mich.

After his marriage Mr. Headley purchased the family homestead, and continued the improvements begun by his father, adding considerably to the cleared acreage, and has erected good buildings. He is a Republican in political principle and himself and wife are members of the Christian Church. The family includes an adopted daughter, Mary E. Childs, born March 25, 1875. The brother of the last mentioned, Julius A. Childs, was born Sept. 8, 1868, and has lived with the family since he was seven years of age.

61. HARMON COBURN (Joshua P., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. c.1847 Ohio d. 7 APR 1922 Ae 76y 9m 3d Kent City, Kent Co., Mich. (cerebral hemorrhage) s. of Joshua P. Coburn and Mary Hampton m. prob. c.1875 Almira Alice Carr b. 20 FEB 1856 Meigs Co., Ohio d. 19 AUG 1936 Ae 80y 5m 27d Kent City, Kent Co., Mich. (cerebral hemorrhage) dau. of Herman Carr and Katherine Chamberlain; she is bur. Pinewood Cem. (prob. nr. Grand Rapids, Mich.).

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 192. Lillie b. c.1877 Mich.
- 193. Carl R. b. c.1879 Mich.
- 194. Jennie (sp ?) b. DEC 1882 Mich.
- 195. Glen b. NOV 1885 Mich.
- 196. James b. APR 1889 Mich.

The informant named at the time of Almira Alice's death was James Coburn of Sparta, Mich. Harmon and A. Alice resided in 1880 at Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. and in 1900 at Tysone Twp., Kent Co., Mich.

62. CALVIN PHILIP FAUNCE (Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 DEC 1836 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 31 DEC 1912 St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Mich. s. of Alden Faunce Jr. and Lucretia Coburn m/1 27 APR 1862 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio Amelia Mary Tew b. 9 SEP 1837 Fowler, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 22 OCT 1868 Greene, Trumbull Co., Ohio dau. of Henry Tew and Mary - - - -.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- +197. Fred Alden b. 3 MAR 1863 d. 20 JUL 1930.
- 198. Charles Henry b. 19 APR 1864 Greene Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 7 MAY 1890 St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Mich. Unm. He was a teacher and telegrapher.
- 199. Carrie Belle b. 4 SEP 1865 Greene Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 8 DEC 1934 Luther, Lake Co., Mich. m. 1890 Benjamin Franklin Jackson b. 5 JUN 1859 Carroll Co., Ohio.

Following the death of his first wife, Calvin m/2 19 FEB 1870 Clara Eugenia Hillyer (Morris ?) b. 6 JUL 1851 Beetown, Grant Co., Wisc. d. 24 NOV 1936 San Francisco, Calif.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 200. Guy Eugene b. 7 MAR 1873 Greensburg, Summit Co., Ohio d. 14 OCT 1889 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Michigan m. 14 APR 1889 Fern Gravenwood.
- +201. Jay Morris b. 8 NOV 1874.
- 202. Lena Amelia b. 16 SEP 1877 Greensburg, Summit Co., Ohio d. 20 FEB 1949 San Diego, Calif. m. 17 JUN 1917 E. B. Jones.
- 203. Katie Evelyn b. 26 MAR 1885 Southington, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 6 JUL 1956 San Diego, Calif. m/1 13 OCT 1903 Ithaca, Gratiot Co., Mich. Byron E. Curtis m/2 Walter C. Imus.
- 204. Calvin Philip Jr. b. 22 NOV 1886 Southington, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 13 JUN 1960 Santa Cruz, Calif. m/1 1914 Helen McKenzie m/2 14 NOV 1919 Helen Dawson.
- 205. Hazel Eugenia b. 26 MAR 1896 Southington, Trumbull Co., Ohio m/1 16 JAN 1914 Paul Hodshire m/2 23 JUL 1926 Russell A. Harris m/3 8 JUN 1934 Charles A. Hoskins.

Calvin Philip Faunce removed from Trumbull Co., Ohio to St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Mich. in 1877 and from there to a location north of Toledo, Ohio; then back to Trumbull Co., Ohio. In 1883, he returned to St. Louis, Michigan. He was a school teacher and farmer. In 1865 he was administrator of the estate of his grandfather, Alden Faunce Sr., in Trumbull Co., Ohio.

After Calvin's death, Clara and the younger children removed to San Francisco, California.

63. EZRA ALDEN FAUNCE (Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 JAN 1838 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 14 SEP 1902 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich. m. 11 NOV 1866 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio Lucy Palmer Smith b. 4 MAY 1842 Johnston, Ohio d. 4 MAR 1902 Petoskey, Mich. dau. of Calvin Smith and Maria Meacham.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

206. Cora Amelia b. 24 NOV 1868 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 3 OCT 1897 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich. m. 19 AUG 1895 Petoskey, Mich. Lewis A. Smith b. 23 NOV 1870 nr. Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. d. 1952.

In occupation, Ezra Alden Faunce was a farmer and grocer.

He served as the first Treasurer of Cortland, Ohio and also held the positions of City Clerk and Postmaster there. He served in the War of the Rebellion in a unit from Trumbull Co., Ohio.

64. DANIEL MYRON (MORRIS) FAUNCE (Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 MAR 1840 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 29 APR 1910 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. m. 7 AUG 1862 DeKalb Co., Ind. Samantha Lucretia Alton b. 28 JUL 1844 d. MAY 1913 dau. of Benjamin Alton Jr. and Sarah Ann Coburn.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- +207. William Ulysses b. 5 APR 1864, d. 22 SEP 1936.
208. Flora Lucretia b. 6 AUG 1870 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 22 DEC 1942 Jackson, Jackson Co., Mich. m. 13 FEB 1895 Fremont, Mich. Herbert Fryer b. 19 JUL 1866 Barry Co., Mich. Reportedly had dau. Brittie.
+209. Benjamin Alden b. 3 MAR 1874 d. 25 SEP 1941.
210. Daisy A. b. 17 MAR 1877 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. d. 2 DEC 1877 same place.

Daniel Myron Faunce was a farmer in occupation.

He served in the War of the Rebellion and afterward took up a soldier's claim near Burt Lake, Michigan. He was mustered in 3 OCT 1864 Co. C 13th Inf. and mustered out 5 SEP 1865.

Obituary: Source unk.

DANIEL M. FAUNCE was born in Bazetta, Trumbull county, Ohio, March 15, 1840, and died at Fremont, Michigan, April 29, 1910, at the age of 70 years. He was the third in a family of eight children, two brothers and one sister having gone on before. Most of his early life was spent upon the farms in Ohio and Iowa until 1861, when he removed to DeKalb county, Indiana. On August 7, 1862, he was married to Samantha L. Alton, of Coburntown, who survives him. To this union were born four children -- William U., of Petoskey; Benjamin A., of East Lansing; and Mrs. A. Freyer, of Grant, all of whom were at his bedside during his last illness, and Daisy A., who died in infancy. Mr. Faunce served in the War of the Rebellion as a member of Co. C., 13th Indiana Regiment, being honorably discharged in 1865. At the close of the war he came to Michigan and settled upon a farm near Fremont, and with the exception of four years has since resided in Newaygo county. He was a devoted member of the Church of Christ, having embraced

christianity at 14 years. He was a charter member of the first church organization and at the time of his death was serving the church as an elder. His honesty and christian spirit had endeared this unobtrusive man to a great many friends by whom he will be greatly missed. The world needs such men but the call of Heaven came and he has gone to a higher service.

65. PARMENUS COBURN FAUNCE (Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 31 AUG 1843 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 22 MAY 1904 St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Mich. s. of Alden Faunce Jr. and Lucretia Coburn m. 21 JAN 1869 Newton Falls, Trumbull Co., Ohio Sarah Almena Shaw b. 1849 Paris, Portage Co., Ohio d. 1929 St. Louis, Mich. dau. of Benjamin Shaw and Sarah DeLong.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 211. Ori L. b. 7 JUL 1870 Greene Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 1959 Alma, Gratiot Co., Mich. m. 18 MAY 1892 St. Louis, Mich. John Randolph Knight b. 24 JUN 1859 Greene Co., Penn. d. 1905. Both are bur. St. Louis, Mich.
- 212. Carl Ezra b. 11 SEP 1874 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 11 NOV 1939 St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Mich. Unm.
- 213. Fern b. 2 JAN 1876 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. d. 1949 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. m. John E. Lebet b. 1884 d. 1951.
- 214. Mary Elinor b. 19 SEP 1893 St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Mich. d. 15 DEC 1951 East Lansing, Calhoun Co., Mich. m. Robert L. Durkee b. 1894 d. 1945. Both bur. St. Louis, Mich.

Parmenus Coburn was a merchant and farmer in occupation. He served in the War of the Rebellion with a military unit from Trumbull Co., Ohio; was wounded and held prisoner at Andersonville, an infamous rebel prison camp.

He removed from Ohio to Petoskey, Mich. in 1880 and then about 1890 went to St. Louis in Gratiot Co., Mich.

66. WILLIAM LUCIUS FAUNCE (Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 FEB 1845 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 2 NOV 1910 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich., bur. Salt River Cem., Shepherd, Mich. s. of Alden Faunce Jr. and Lucretia Coburn m. 23 SEP 1875 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio Agnes Amelia Young b. 23 OCT 1850 Johnston, Ohio d. 1928 Shepherd, Mich., bur. Salt River Cem., Shepherd, Mich. dau. of Joseph Young and Ann M. Cortney.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 215. Ann Lucretia b. 5 MAR 1877 Isabella Co., Mich. d. 23 JUL 1937 Shepherd, Mich. m. Clinton Koyl b. 1876 d. 1947.
- +216. James Garfield b. 19 JUL 1880 d. 21 AUG 1933.
- +217. Alden Joseph b. 1 DEC 1883.

With his bride, William removed from Trumbull Co., Ohio to Michigan in 1875, residing in Isabella County there. In occupation, he was a farmer.

67. ELLIS GERDEN FAUNCE (Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 OCT 1846 Cort-

land, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 22 AUG 1927 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. bur. Salt River Cem., Shepherd, Mich. s. of Alden Faunce Jr. and Lucretia Coburn m. 26 NOV 1868 Cortland, Ohio Syron Louisa Gates b. 13 NOV 1849 Chardon, Geauga Co., Ohio d. 21 MAY 1915 Shepherd, Mich. bur. Salt River Cem., Shepherd, Mich.; her parents not determined.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 218. Eva Estella b. 25 DEC 1870 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. d. 8 AUG Jacksonville, Duval Co., Fla. m/1 1 Aug 1893 Shepherd, Mich. Edwin Scott McCellan (McLellan ?) b. 6 NOV 1869 Coe, Mich. m/2 10 DEC 1930 Sanford Dunbar and res. at Jacksonville, Fla.
- 219. Orin Leroy b. 15 DEC 1873 Petersburg, Monroe Co., Mich. d. 21 APR 1931 Shepherd, Mich. m/1 21 Apr 1909 C. Leone Parker b. 1878 d. 1924 m/2 Mettie Kelly.
- 220. Leila Bell b. 22 FEB 1876 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. d. 8 DEC 1925 Shepherd, Mich. m. 10 MAR 1910 I. N. Shepherd.

Ellis was a farmer in occupation. He removed from Trumbull Co., Ohio to Michigan about 1870.

69. ESTELLA CELIA FAUNCE (Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 JUN 1858 Bazetta, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 15 AUG 1932 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. bur. Greenwood Co., Petoskey, Mich. dau. of Alden Faunce Jr. and Lucretia Coburn m. 23 JAN 1879 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio Uriah Ransom Goist b. 8 OCT 1855 Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 30 DEC 1937 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. bur. Greenwood Cem., Petoskey, Mich. s. of George Goist and Hannah Everitt.

Children: (Surname GOIST)

- +221. Lena Belle b. 10 JUN 1880 d. 19 MAY 1966.
- +222. Nellie Mae b. 17 OCT 1888 d. 9 SEP 1977.
- +223. George Alden b. 10 NOV 1890 d. 10 OCT 1969.
- +224. William Ezra b. 8 NOV 1895 d. 8 APR 1961.

73. SARAH CORNELIA ALTON (Sarah A., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. NOV 1853 Ohio dau. of Benjamin Alton Jr. and Sarah Alvira Coburn m. c.1873 Homer Nichols b. NOV 1852 Ohio.

Children: (Surname NICHOLS)

- 225. Zena (dau.) b. NOV 1878 Mich.
- 226. Benjamin J. b. AUG 1879 Mich.
- 227. Ramon b. OCT 1882 Mich.
- 228. Z. V. (son) b. JAN 1892 Mich.

Homer was a farmer in occupation. In 1900, he is listed in the census at Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. as owning his farm.

Census data indicates that Homer and Sarah had two additional children deceased before 1900.

74. CANDACE MARILLA (MARY) ALTON (Sarah A., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 DEC 1857 Ohio d. 17 DEC 1933 Canton, Stark Co., Ohio bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Benjamin Alton Jr. and Sarah Alvira Coburn m. 11 MAR 1874 Lorenzo Van Buren Davis b. 26 SEP 1854 NY d. 31 MAY 1904 Oceana Co., Mich. s. of Lorenzo F. Davis and Clarissa Betsey Smith bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich.

Children: (Surname DAVIS)

229. Mayme (May) b. MAY 1875 Fremont, Mich. d. 1941 (?) m/1 - - - - Johnson m/2 - - - - Blue. Res. Cincinnati, Ohio.
+230. Archie Carl b. 13 JUN 1877 d. 27 DEC 1943.
231. Clesson J. b. OCT 1879 Fremont, Mich. d. 29 JUL 1942 (?) m. Elsie - - - -. Res. Manistee, Mich.
232. Benjamin b. MAY 1886 Fremont, Mich. d. 3 DEC 1947 (?) m. Louise (Millie) Doelker. Res. Chicago, Ill.
233. Cecil (dau) b. OCT 1893 Fremont, Mich. d. (1952 ?) m. Jay Wagner. Res. Canton, Ohio.

Lorenzo was a carpenter in occupation.

Candace's mother was enumerated with this family in the 1880 census at Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich.

77. HENRIETTA COBURN (Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 1852 (g.s.) DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1939 prob. Newaygo Co., Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. m. 12 JUL 1868 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. Merrick Waters b. 7 APR 1847 Warrick Co., Ind. d. 1 APR 1927 bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. s. of Jonas Waters and Lucinda Bartholomew. Her parents were Samuel D. Coburn and Ann Coburn.

Children: (Surname WATERS)

234. Valerie C. b. 2 OCT 1877 d. 1945 (g.s.) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. m. Alfred Milner b. 1879 d. 1959.

From the Portrait & Biographical Album of Newaygo Co., Mich. (1884):

MERRICK WATERS, farmer, section 31, Sherman Township, was born in Warrick Co., Ind., April 7, 1847, and is the fifth child of a family of seven children. His parents were Jonas and Lucinda (Bartholomew) Waters, the former a native of Ohio, and resides with his son in Sherman Township; his mother died in Indiana. When Merrick was seven years of age he went with his father to Minnesota, but remained only a short time, then came to St. Joseph Co., Mich., living there two years, and in January, 1855, they came to Newaygo County. He lived at home until 21 years of age, when his father gave him 50 acres of land in Sherman Township, where he now resides.

He was married in Sherman Township, July 12, 1868, to Henriette, daughter of Samuel D. and Ann Coburn, natives of DeKalb Co., Ind.; the mother died in Indiana and the father removed to Newaygo County. Mr. and Mrs. Waters have one child, Valeria C., born Oct. 2, 1877. In politics he is a National.

78. FRANKLIN WILSON (FRANK) COBURN (Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 12 DEC 1854 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 11 JUL 1919 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. Ae 64y 6m 11d (cancer of liver) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. s. of Samuel D. Coburn and Ann Coburn m. 4 JUL 1876 Fremont, Mich. Flora Ethel Davis b. 12 APR 1851 Erie City, NY d. 1 SEP 1908 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich., her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +235. Roy S. b. 29 AUG 1884 d. 2 MAY 1967.
- +236. Edith Pearl b. 29 NOV 1886 d. 12 SEP 1974/76.
- 237. Lillie b. 29 JUL 1889 d. 3 AUG 1889.
- +238. Maude M. b. 26 DEC 1892 d. 16 APR 1918.
- 239. Flora b. 15 JUN 1895 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. Apparently DY.

Following the death of his first wife, Frank m/2 c.1910 Ada - - - b. c.1869 Mich.; also her 2nd m. No issue from this present marriage.

According to census data, Frank was enumerated in 1870 as "works in brickyard" and in 1880 as a mechanic; and in 1900 as a farmer.

The family was living in 1880 at Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. where Flora's sister Cora Davis b. c.1869 NY was enumerated with them. The 1900 census finds them at Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. Also at this latter location in 1910 there were enum. with this family Frank's nephew Clarence (son of Chas. Fred Coburn) and wife Minnie; also enum. were Frank's son Roy and his wife Clara Belle.

79. CHARLES FRED COBURN (Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. JUN 1858 (g.s.) Ind. d. 25 FEB 1927 (g.s.) Ae 69y 8m 23d East Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. (Bautes disease) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Samuel D. Coburn and Ann Coburn m. c.1880 Matilda Peckham b. 8 SEP 1865 Mich. d. 16 SEP 1905 Ae 46y 7d Fremont, Mich. (accident) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. dau. of John Peckham and - - - Brown.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 240. Ellsworth J. b. 27 JUN 1884 (vr) Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 9 SEP 1884 (g.s.) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 241. Ell b. JUN 1885 d. 7 MAR 1943 Ae 58y 8m 10d Muskegon Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich. (emphysema) m. and divd. No known issue.
- 242. Julia b. JUN 1887 Mich.
- 243. Ines b. 11 MAR 1888 Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 244. Clarence b. 18 SEP 1889 (vr) or 1891 Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. m. c.1909 Minnie Schultzt.
- 245. Samuel b. SEP 1893 Mich.
- +246. Charles Fred II b. 4 JUL 1895 d. 1971.
- 247. Emma b. JUN 1897 Mich.
- 248. Grace b. 10 JUN 1899 (vr) Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. m. - - - Kenfield. Res. Tarpon Springs, Fla. (1971).

249. Inf. b/d 1901.

250. Inf. (son) d. 15 JUL 1902 Ae 2d.

From the St. Joe News; Wed., Oct. 4, 1905:

Mrs. J. M. Milliman read a letter to us Monday in which was the information that Mrs. Chas. Coburn had met death in an accident at Fremont, Michigan about two weeks ago. The unfortunate woman and one of her children was driving to town when they met two young men racing horses, one of them on each side of the road. One of the rigs ran into the Coburn buggy, jerking a wheel off and Mrs. Coburn was thrown to the ground and the wheel passed over her head, tearing the scalp nearly off. Unassisted she went to a doctor's office and had the wound dressed, but the shock was too severe and she died the next day. The saddest part is that she left the husband with a family of eight children, the youngest being six years old. The husband is the son of Sam Coburn, who formerly lived in the Coburn's Corners neighborhood, east of town.

80. ELLA SAMUEL COBURN (Samuel D.. Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 10 JUL 1859/60 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 5 MAY 1922 Wooster, Newaygo Co., Mich. (valvular lesion of heart) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Samuel D. Coburn and Ann Coburn m. 25 DEC 1886 Newaygo Co., Mich. Effie Louise Callender b. 12 AUG 1868 Ohio d. 28 NOV 1956 Hastings, Barry Co., Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of James Callender and Rachel Rhodes.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

251. Alice b. c.AUG 1887 d. 20 OCT 1892 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. (choked on popcorn).

252. Elsie Isabel b. 16 FEB 1892 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. bur. Yankee Springs Cem., Hastings, Mich. m. Frank Pembroke. No issue.

+253. James H. b. 16/28 NOV 1893/4 d. 2 SEP/OCT 1964.

254. Inf. (dau.) b. 12 JAN 1895 (stillborn).

+255. Agnes Viola b. 16 JAN 1896 d. 6 AUG 1940.

+256. Rachel Zanona b. 18 JAN 1900 living 1984.

257. Inf. (son) b. 30 DEC 1902 (premature) d. 1 JAN 1903.

258. Inf. (son) b. 5 AUG 1904 d. 8 AUG 1904.

+259. Clyde C. b. 26 NOV 1909 d. 18 APR 1974.

260. Ruth Flora b. c.MAY 1912 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 1 OCT 1912 (marasmus).

Ella Samuel Coburn was a farmer and logger in occupation. His farm was located in Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. which was the family home throughout his married life.

83. VIOLA L. COBURN (Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 22 APR 1868 Mich. dau. of Samuel D. Coburn and Sarah E. Walkley m. c.1889 John W. Johnson b. c.1859 in Sweden.

Children: (Surname JOHNSON)

- 261. Eva b. c.1892 Mich.
- 262. June b. c.1899 Mich.
- 263. Russell b. c.1903 Mich.

John Johnson's occupation was given in the 1910 census as "agent." At that time the family was enumerated at Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. Viola's mother was then living with this family.

88. SUSAN AMANDA COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 25 FEB 1851 Springfield Twp., Allen Co., Ind. d. 16 MAR 1924 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee. m/1 5 MAR 1871 DeKalb Co., Ind. by F. P. Sutton Jacob Shafer b. 5 MAR 1850 Dorts-town, Wayne Co., Ohio d. 20 NOV 1909 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname SHAFER)

- 264. Dallas A. b. 27 MAY 1873 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1893 (g.s.) bur. Alton Cem.
- +265. Alice D. b. 12 MAY 1876 d. 11 NOV 1912.

Jacob's occupation was given in the 1880 census as "works in brickyard." He was a member of the Church of Christ as was his wife.

Susan, better known as Amanda, moved with her parents to DeKalb Co., Ind. in 1853 and spent the remainder of her life in the same neighborhood. She m/2 7 OCT 1920 William Brown.

Death Notice: St. Joe News; Thurs., March 19, 1925.

The funeral of Mrs. Amanda Brown, aged about 74 years, wife of Wm. Brown, will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the Church of Christ. Her illness extended over several weeks. Surviving are the husband, three grandchildren, four sisters, Mrs. Delia Wade of Petoskey, Mich., Mrs. Wallace Abel of near Newville, Mrs. Ella Wilmot and Mrs. A. D. Perry, of near here, and one brother, Calvin Coburn of Hicksville. Burial will be made in Alton cemetery, east of town.

89. FLORENCE DELIA COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 15 NOV 1852 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 9 OCT 1941 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee m. 15 NOV 1874 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell Ella (Elihu) Wilmot b. 27 NOV 1852 Ohio d. 18 JAN 1937 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., s. of George W. Wilmot and Lucia H. Palmer.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

- +266. Leona B. b. 23 JUL 1876 d. 27 JAN 1961.
- +267. Edna S. b. 2 OCT 1877.
- +268. Zelma Delina b. 27 MAR 1879 d. 13 AUG 1913.
- +269. William Hayden b. 9 JUL 1880 d. 25 FEB 1907.

+270. George Garfield b. 2/6 JAN 1882 d. 8 MAR 1974.

271. Fred H. b. 12 JUL 1883 d. 30 OCT 1959 m/1 Sue Howell m/2 Hattie Ayliffe. No issue. Resided at Flint, Michigan.

+272. Mary L. b. 14 NOV 1888.

Ella Wilmot was an 8th generation descendant of Benjamin Wilmot b. 1589 d. 18 AUG 1669 who, with his wife Ann, are recognized in "Families of Ancient New Haven" by Donald Lines Jacobus as having settled in New Haven, Connecticut. His son, Benjamin, was in New Haven as early as 1641. However, it is not recorded from whence he came nor when he arrived in America.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Jan. 28, 1937.

Ella Wilmot was born in Portage County, Ohio, November 27, 1852, and died at his residence in Concord Township, DeKalb County, Indiana, January 18, 1937, having attained the age of 84 years, 2 months and 21 days.

The deceased was the oldest child of George W. and Lucia Wilmot, and he was two years old when they became residents of DeKalb County, where they reared a large family of sturdy children, six sons of whom grew to maturity and were respected citizens of the community. Two sons Arthur Wilmot and Vernon Wilmot, are now living.

November 14, 1874 the deceased was united in marriage with Florence D. Coburn. To this union were born seven children: Mrs. Leona Mason and Mrs. Mary Donley of Coburntown, George Wilmot and Mrs. Edna Jenkins of St. Joe, and Fred Wilmot of near Flint, Michigan. Hayden Wilmot and Mrs. Zelma Kimes having been called home many years ago.

Twenty living grandchildren and eighteen great grandchildren also belong to the larger family circle.

Mr. Wilmot's life was a great contribution to the community, fulfilling in a very large measure the mission of a man.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Oct. 16, 1941.

Mrs. Florence D. (Coburn) Wilmot, widow of Ella Wilmot and daughter of William and Lovesta Coburn, was born in the northeastern part of Allen County, Indiana, November 15, 1852, and died at her residence in DeKalb County, Indiana, October 9, 1941, at the age of 88 years, 11 months and 12 days.

November 15, 1874, she and Ella Wilmot, deceased, were united in marriage, and to this union seven children were born, five of whom are living. George Wilmot, Mrs. Leona Mason, Mrs. Edna Jenkins, of St. Joe; Fred Wilmot, of near Flint, Mich., and Mrs. Mary Donley at home. There are also thirty grandchildren, eighteen great grandchildren, and one great great grandchild in the complete family.

Mrs. Wilmot lived constantly in the vicinity of Coburntown, where she fully shared the fortunes and fellowship of the Coburntown people. From early childhood she was a member of the Church of Christ.



William R. Coburn & sons, L-R:
(rear) Harmon, Ezra
(front) Calvin



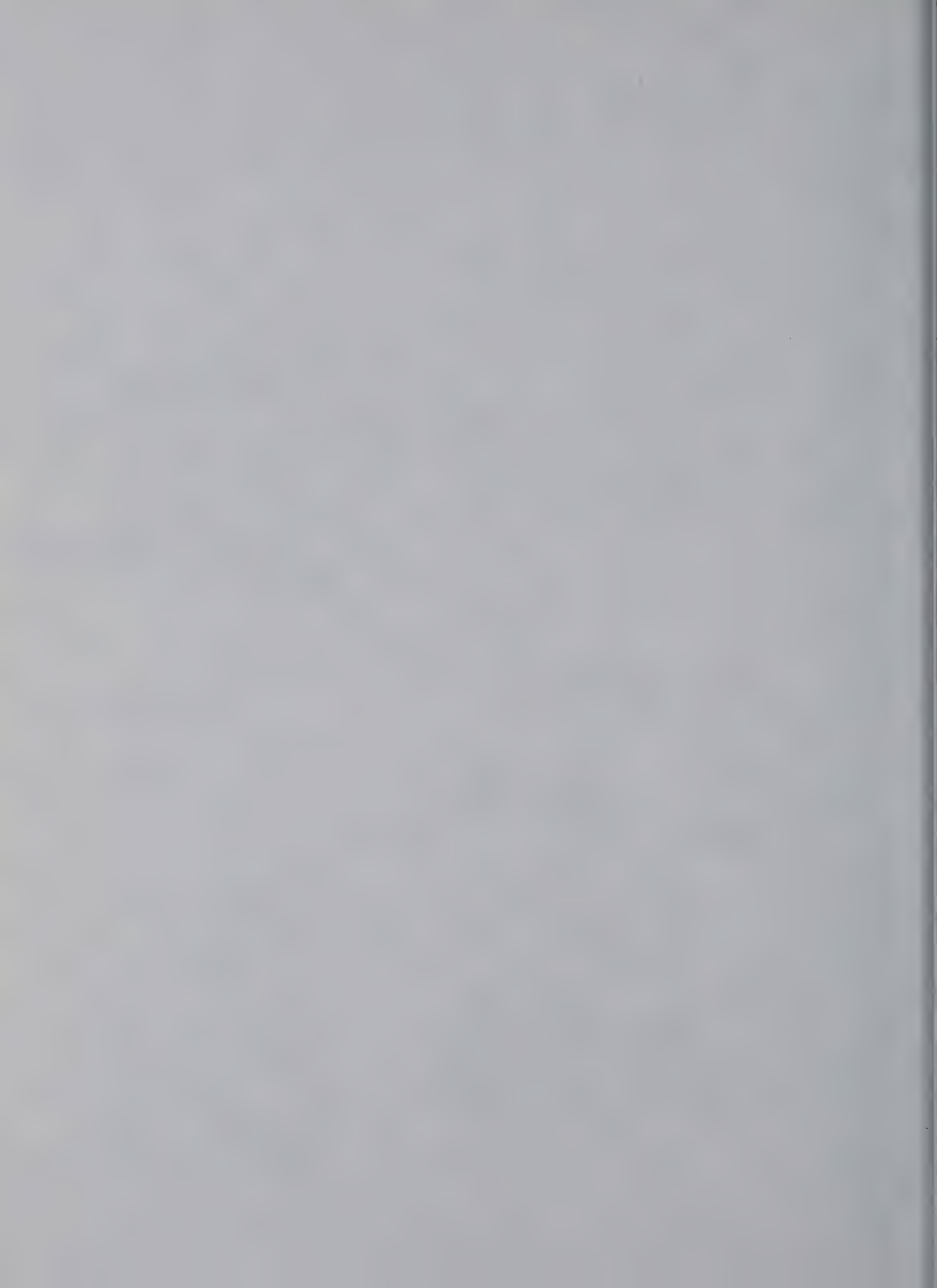
Mrs. William R. Coburn & daus.,
L-R: Florence, Nellie, Cordelia,
Antoinette, Amanada



Laura Coburn Willard (#181)
& ch. Delphia, Dwight



Almira Milliman, w. of
Charles M. Coburn Jr. (#149)



90. CALVIN LEMUEL COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 28 AUG 1854 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 12 MAR 1949 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee m. 17 MAY 1879 Hicksville, Ohio by F. M. Thompson, J.P. Alice L. Weirs b. 19 MAY 1861 Ind. d. 10 APR 1935 Hicksville, Ohio Ae 73y 10m 21d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Joseph Weirs and Mary - - - -.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +273. Ruby Estella b. 26 JAN 1881 d. JUN 1963.
- +274. Earl Leroy b. 27 NOV 1882 d. 22 DEC 1951.
- +275. Delphia I. b. 27 MAR 1885 d. 22 NOV 1975.
- 276. Inf. dau. b. 21 MAY 1888 Defiance Co., Ohio.
- 277. Nellie May b. 17 FEB 1891 Defiance Co., Ohio
- 278. Inf. dau. b. 22 JUL 1897 Defiance Co., Ohio.
- 279. Clair b. 22 JUN 1900 Defiance Co., Ohio.

One of the daughters reportedly m. Ed Sommers and resided at Hicksville, Ohio.

Calvin was a farmer in occupation. He and Alice were enumerated in the 1880 census with Howard and Mintie Northrup, a young couple of similar ages, at Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. on a farm. Some time later, Calvin and Alice removed to Defiance Co., Ohio where he farmed near Hicksville.

91. LOUISA ANTOINETTE (NETTIE) COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 10 AUG 1857 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 16 JUN 1954 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee m. 12 DEC 1876 DeKalb Co., Ind. by J. F. Coburn Wallace E. Abel b. 4 NOV 1851 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 18 OCT 1937 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of George D. Abel and Sarah A. Milliman.

Children: (Surname ABEL)

- 280. Leroy C. (Roy) b. 15 MAY 1877 d. 16 MAY 1961 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. Unm.
- +281. Bessie M. b. 24 SEP 1879 d. 14 MAY 1974.
- +282. Blanche Gertrude b. 19 MAR 1882 d. 13 DEC 1963.
- +283. Gladys Clare b. 24 JUL 1895 Living 1984.

For further details and carrydown into later generations of this family, see the information recorded in Volume Two under the ABEL FAMILY.

92. EZRA LEROY (EDWARD) COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 20 JAN 1871 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1 JUN 1920 St. Louis, Mo. (St. Luke's Hosp.) bur. Jefferson, Iowa s. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee m. prob. c.1900 Mary Lawton of Boone, Iowa b. 9 JUL 1869 d. some time after her husband, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 284. Frances d. inf c.1904.

+285. Mary b. c.1905 d. before 1980.

+286. William Henry b. c.1906 d. 17 NOV 1980.

Ezra Coburn had a distinguished career in the field of music as a teacher and supervisor in the schools at Boone, Iowa and St. Louis, Mo. Apparently, he felt that his given name was not fitting as he progressed in his profession and he always used the name "Edward" from the time he went to St. Louis.

An article in the St. Joe News of Oct. 24, 1906 offers some insight regarding his work: "Prof. E. L. Coburn is now general supervisor of music in the St. Louis, Mo. public schools and teachers' colleges. This is the second position of its kind in salary and importance in the United States. St. Louis has long been noted for its fine schools and no teacher is given a position in these schools without the most rigid examination. The teaching force, which consists of two thousand teachers, is controlled by the Supt., Dr. Soldan and four assistants. There are one hundred and thirty buildings containing in all one hundred thousand pupils."

On a return visit to DeKalb Co., Ind. in July, 1908, the News reported that Prof. Coburn delivered a lecture entitled "Mother's Songs" at the Christian Church. This lecture was stated to be intended especially for those who are interested in the training of children.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., May 27, 1920.

ST. JOE BOY DIES IN ST. LOUIS. Edward L. Coburn, 59 years of age, 5603 Maple Avenue, supervisor of music of the Board of Education, died at St. Luke's Hospital at 5:45 o'clock Monday afternoon following an attack of stomach trouble.

Coburn has been suffering from an ulcer of the stomach and at 4 p.m. he fainted while in the bathroom of his home. The fall is believed to have hastened his death by causing a hemorrhage. He was taken to the hospital and died less than an hour later.

Coburn has been supervisor of music of the Board of Education for fifteen years. He was prominent in music circles throughout the United States, having recently been president of the National Conference of Music Supervisors of the United States.

He had just finished directing a series of concerts in the public high schools of the city, which attracted a great deal of attention.

Coburn was taken ill last Friday, while conducting a musical entertainment at Solden High School. He remained at the school throughout the concert. His condition at that time was not considered serious.

Coburn came to St. Louis from Boone, Ia., where he was supervisor of music in the public schools in that city. He was born in St. Joe, Indiana and was graduated from the Drake University. He completed his musical education in Chicago and for many years taught summer classes at Northwestern University.

During the war Coburn enlisted in the services of the United States and supervised the establishment of community singing societies in the army camps in the south, making his headquarters at Asheville, N. C.

Coburn is survived by his widow and two children -- Mary, 15 years old, and William Coburn, 13.

Funeral services were held at Solden High School at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Burial at Jefferson, Ia. Rev. Samuel H. Woodrow, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church, officiated.

Dell Coburn of Hicksville and Mrs. Nellie Perry left immediately upon receipt of telegram.

93. MARY CORDELIA COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 12 JAN 1864 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 28 AUG 1958 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee m. 6 MAY 1882 DeKalb Co., Ind. Ephraim Noble Wade b. 26 SEP 1862 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 31 JAN 1922 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Thomas N. Wade and Mary Clemens.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +287. Victor Ross b. 6 DEC 1883 d. 1 MAR 1951.
- +288. Stella Maude b. 4 OCT 1887 d. 18 JUL 1955.
- +289. Donald Clare b. 24 JUN 1904 Living 1984.

Ephraim and Cordelia, largely known as "Delia" removed from DeKalb Co., Ind. to Michigan some time near the beginning of the twentieth century and here they remained throughout the remainder of their married life while Ephraim pursued his occupation as a painter and decorator.

95. HARMON ADELMA COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 23 MAY 1873 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 7 MAR 1923 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. Ae 49y 9m 14d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee m. 30 JUL 1895 DeKalb Co., Ind. by D. V. Gillet Bertha Mae Wade b. 28 MAR 1879 DeKalb Co., d. 27 NOV 1934 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +290. Lloyd Leroy b. 14 APR 1896 d. 15 JUN 1979.
- +291. Audrey Eunice b. 18 APR 1898 Living 1984.
- +292. Estel Lee b. 12 OCT 1899 d. 2 APR 1980.
- +293. Pauline Edith b. 27 AUG 1904 d. 15 AUG 1959.
- 294. William Riley II b. 25 NOV 1907 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 18 NOV 1968 m. 12 DEC 1927 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio Margaret Easterlin b. 9 SEP 1904 Monroeville, Huron Co., Ohio living 1984 dau. of August Andrew Easterlin and Lisette Freida Janette Kimpel. No issue. William was employed as office clerk by the B & O Railroad. He is bur. Monroeville, Ohio. William and Margaret were members of the Presbyterian church at Willard, Ohio.

+295. Georgia Mae b. 17 FEB 1910 d. 6 NOV 1979.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., March 15, 1923.

Harman Adelma Coburn, son of William R. and Lovesta Coburn, was born in Newville township, DeKalb County, Indiana, on May 23, 1873, and departed this life March 7, 1923, aged 49 years, 9 months, 14 days.

On July 30, 1895 he was united in marriage to Bertha May (sic) Wade. To this union were born 6 children, Lloyd L. Coburn, Garrett, Indiana; Mrs. A. F. Wilmot, Fort Wayne, Indiana; Estel L. Coburn, Hicksville, Ohio; Edith Pauline Coburn; William R. Coburn, and Georgia May (sic) Coburn who reside at home. He also leaves one brother, Calvin L. Coburn, Hicksville, Ohio, and five sisters, Mrs. Amanda Brown, St. Joe, Indiana; Mrs. Wallace Abel, Newville, Indiana; Mrs. E. N. Wade, Petoskey, Michigan; Mrs. Ella Wilmot, St. Joe, Indiana, and Mrs. A. D. Perry, St. Joe, Indiana; and 2 grandchildren, besides a host of relatives and friends to mourn his departure.

Mr. Coburn united with the Church of Christ at Coburn Corners in March, 1886, and to the date of his death lead a steadfast Christian life. He was also a member of the Modern Woodmen of America for sixteen years, and for a number of years the I.O.O.F. at St. Joe, Ind.

Mr. Coburn spent most of his life in DeKalb County, Indiana, except three years in Hicksville, Ohio. He was an industrious and faithful employe of different firms and was a faithful husband and kind father. He will be sorely missed by the family and the large circle of friends. He was always a useful and active member of the church, and was always willing to use his musical talent for the benefit of the church service.

Following the death of her husband, Mrs. Coburn removed to Garrett, Indiana where she became employed as ticket agent for the interurban line running between that city and Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Obituary: Garrett Clipper; Dec. 3, 1934.

Bertha Mae Wade, daughter of George W. and Sarah Jane Koch Wade, was born March 28, 1879 in Spencer township, DeKalb county, Indiana, and departed this life while on a visit at the home of her son, Lloyd, in Akron, O., November 27, 1934, at the age of 55 years, 7 months and 29 days.

She was united in marriage to Harmon Adelma Coburn July 30, 1895. To this union six children were born; Lloyd Leroy Coburn, Akron, O., Audrey Eunice Wilmot, Fort Wayne, Ind., Estel Lee Coburn, Willard, O., Pauline Edith Miller, Hicksville, O., William Riley Coburn, Willard, O., Georgia Mae Withrow, Garrett, Ind.

In her girlhood she united with the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners, where from childhood she had enjoyed the happy fellowship of the Sunday school and church.

On March 7, 1923, her husband died at their home near Coburn's Corners and on the following July she moved her family to Garrett, where she made her home till death.

On coming to Garrett, she placed her membership with the Church of Christ here.

Besides one brother who died in early childhood, she leaves of her family in addition to the children named above, nine grandchildren, three sisters, and four brothers, who will cherish her in loving memory.

96. NELLIE LUCRETIA COBURN (William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 8 JUN 1874 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 27 OCT 1941 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia L. Gee m. 21/22 MAR 1890 DeKalb Co., Ind. Alva D. Perry b. 19 JAN 1869 Ohio d. 15 MAY 1945 DeKalb Co., Ind. Ae 76 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Curtis Perry and Rachel Jane Headley.

Children: (Surname PERRY)

+296. Hazel May b. 12 OCT 1891.

297. Paul A. b. 9 MAY 1894 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 25 MAY 1948 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Methodist Hosp.) m/1 30 AUG 1919 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Thomas Alfred Manley Gladys Clouse b. 18 MAY 1896 d. 10 MAY 1936 dau. of Reuben Clouse. Both are bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. Paul m/2 15 JUN 1940 Helen Fee b. 19 OCT 1910 Defiance Co., Ind. dau. of A. E. Fee and Ida Gloy.

Paul A. Perry was an honored soldier of WWI, having been decorated by the French government with the Croix de Guerre, their highest distinction paid a soldier; this award being given for bringing in a wounded Frenchman between lines under fire. A noteworthy letter written to his parents during his service is included in this record. See pages 115, 116, 117 and 118.

He completed the teacher's training course in 1913 at Tri State College, Angola, Ind. but never taught. He held a variety of positions and last owned a grocery store in Fort Wayne, Ind. After returning from the war, he had a history of chronic problems with stomach ulcers requiring hospital treatment.

+298. Ruth Lynette b. 30 JUN 1897 Living 1984.

In occupation, Alva was a rural mail carrier.

Both Alva and Nellie were active, long-time members of the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Oct. 30, 1941

Services for Mrs. Nellie L. Perry, aged 67 years, wife of Alvey (sic) Perry, of one and one-half miles north of Garrett on Road 327, were held Wednesday afternoon at the Coburntown Church east of St. Joe, the Rev. Walter Coburn, of North Liberty, Ind., officiating and burial was made in Alton Cemetery.

The death of Mrs. Perry took place from heart attack at her home Monday morning at 1:30 o'clock and came as a real surprise to her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry moved to their present home from St. Joe two years ago and built the home they occupied on a plot adjoining the property of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Busz. Other survivors include a son, Paul Perry, and another daughter, Mrs. Ray Herrick, both of Fort Wayne. There are also six grandchildren.

Mrs. Perry's maiden name was Coburn and she and Mr. Perry celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in the summer of 1940. Her entire life had been spent in DeKalb County, having been born in Newville Tp.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., May 17, 1945.

Alva D. Perry, 76, former resident of St. Joe, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Busz, north of Garrett, early Tuesday evening. He is survived by a son, Paul, of St. Joe; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Busz, Garrett, and Mrs. Hazel Herrick, Fort Wayne; a sister, Mrs. Myrtle Brinker, Fort Wayne, and Newt Perry, Fort Wayne; 5 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

For many years Mr. Perry served as rural mail carrier at St. Joe, later returning to a small farm near Coburntown, where he lived until his life was stricken with paralysis and later died, at the home of a daughter where he was making his home. For years he operated a drayage service in St. Joe.

97. HENRY HIRAM COBURN (E. Orson, Gurden, Ebenezer) b. JUN 1853 Ind. s. of E. Orson Coburn and Ann M. Headley m. c.1882 Anna E. b. OCT1862 Canada.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 299. Mabel M. b. JUL 1884 Mich.
- 300. Blanch D. b. JUL 1888 Mich.
- 301. Ellis L. b. JUL 1893 Mich.

Henry was a farmer in occupation and owned his own farm.

Last known, this family resided in 1900 at Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich.

98. WILLIAM WALLACE COBURN (E. Orson, Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 25 SEP 1854 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 12 AUG 1907 nr. St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of E. Orson Coburn and Ann M. Headley m. 29 NOV 1883 DeKalb Co., Ind. by I. W. Lilly, min. Amanda Davis b. 1851 (g.s.) d. 21 JUN 1938 St. Joe, Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John Davis and Jane Adams.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 302. Vernon E. (Vern) b. 1894 (g.s.) d. 12 OCT 1956 Westville, LaPorte Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. Unm.

303. Lena b. 22 FEB 1892 Defiance Co., Ohio d. 1961 (g.s.) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 25 JUL 1912 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. Leslie Bryan Meek b. 1889 (g.s.) d. 1959 (g.s.) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of H. H. Meek. No issue.

William W. Coburn was a carpenter in occupation.

Following his death, Amanda m/2 26 OCT 1909 John J. Shaw but the marriage did not last and she later resumed use of the Coburn name until her death.

Obituary: S. Joe News; Wed., Aug. 21, 1907.

William W. Coburn was born in Newville township, DeKalb county, Indiana September 25, 1854. He departed this life August 12, 1907, aged 52 years, 10 months, and 17 days. His parents were Orson and Anna Coburn, both of whom have preceded him to the other land. The family consisted of six children, three boys and three girls, four of whom are still living. At the age of sixteen he went to Michigan and the greater part of the next twelve years of his life was spent in that state. He united with the Christian church at Bailey, Mich., under the preaching of Bro. Grise, February 4, 1882. His membership was transferred to the congregation at Hicksville February 12, 1889. Nov. 29, 1883, he was united in marriage with Amanda Davis. Two children have blessed this union, Lena and Vern, both of whom remain to comfort their mother. The family have resided in Hicksville and the vicinity of Coburn's Corners. Mr. Coburn has endeavored to live an upright life. He was strictly honest with his fellow man and temperate in his habits. His illness has been of a protracted character and death has relieved him of great affliction.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., June 23, 1938.

Mrs. Amanda Coburn, 86 years and 7 months, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Meek in St. Joe, after an illness caused by sugar diabetes, on Tuesday evening, June 21.

She was the youngest and last of a family of eleven children. She has resided in the Coburntown community and in St. Joe for a great many years, and until only a few weeks ago, she was able to go to her church and Sunday School. Surviving are two children, Mrs. L. B. Meek with whom she made her home, and Vernon Coburn, of St. Joe.

99. BENJAMINE B. COBURN (E. Orson, Gurden, Ebenezer) b. NOV 1856 Ind. d. 21 MAR 1928 Ae 71y 4m 21d Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich. (chronic mycarditis) s. of E. Orson Coburn and Ann Headley m. c.1882 Sarah Louise Hull b. AUG 1861 Mich. d. 7 JUN 1932 Ae 70y 10m 6d Muskegon, Mich. (Adenocarinoma) dau. of Hiram S. Hull and Ellen - - - -.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+304. Glenn D. b. 17 JAN 1891 d. 23 FEB 1951.

Two additional children died before 1900.

Benjamin was a farmer in occupation, occupying rented farm property when enumerated in the 1900 census.

Sarah's parents were living with this family in 1900.

101 STELLA L. COBURN (E. Orson, Gurden, Ebenezer) b. JAN 1861 Ind. dau. of E. Orson Coburn and Ann M. Headley m. c.1878 Addison E. Moore b. JAN 1858 Mich. s. of Drayton Moore and Sophronia Loomis.

Children: (Surname MOORE)

- 305. Eleanor b. OCT 1879 Mich.
- 306. Marion (son) b. APR 1881 Mich.
- 307. Zilphia (dau.) b. APR 1883 Mich.
- 308. Albert b. OCT 1885.
- 309. Beverly b. MAR 1893.

A sixth child died before the 1900 census.

Addison was a farmer in occupation and owned his farm.

Enumerated with his family in the 1900 census were: Sophronia Moore (his mother) b. MAR 1817 NY; also, Orson Coburn (Stella's father) b. APR 1830 Ohio. All at Casnovia Twp., Muskegon Co., Mich.

112. MARY A. COBURN (John H., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 1837 Ohio d. 1910 dau. of John H. Coburn and Sally Ann Root m. 28 OCT 1860 DeKalb Co., Ind. by John F. Coburn John Bryant (Bry) Milliman b. 1837 Cuyahoga Co., Ohio d. 9 SEP 1865 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of John M. Milliman and Mary A. Warren.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

- 310. Ellsworth L. b. 8 MAY 1861 d. 3 OCT 1887 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 311. John B. b. 31 MAR 1863 d. 11 DEC 1875 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Reportedly of English descent, John Bryant Milliman's earliest ancestor in America was John Milliman who died in Rhode Island in 1739, his wife Anna Bryant also dying there in 1741. Successive generations; Bryant, Abiram, and John M. Milliman were in Massachusetts, New York and Ohio before the last named came to DeKalb Co., Ind. in 1842.

John Bryant Milliman followed the occupation of carpenter and joiner prior to the War of the Rebellion. He enrolled at Kendallville, Ind. 21 OCT 1864 pvt. Co. G 53rd Regt. Ind. Vol., was at Raleigh, N.C. and discharged at Louisville, Ky. 21 JUL 1865 suffering from chronic diarrhea (same term used for typhoid in his brother's pension claim). He died within six weeks after returning home. His military description 5'3" fair complexion, grey eyes, light hair.

Mary m/2 as his second wife on 22 SEP 1867 John Wyckoff who then had a daughter

b. c.1850 that subsequently d. 1870 Ae 19y.

Children: (Surname WYCKOFF)

312. Essie A. b. 3 OCT 1869 d. 16 OCT 1870.

There must have been at least one additional child judging from an item appearing in the St. Joe News 27 SEP 1905, ".....Mary Wycoff and daughter of Hicksville....."

113. GILBERT O. COBURN (John H., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 1841 Ohio s. of John H. Coburn and Sally Ann Root m. 26 MAR 1865 Defiance Co., Ohio by C. Hootman, J.P. Sarah Wartenbee b. c.1845 Ohio.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

313. Carpus b. c.1866 Inc.

114. OLIVER PERRY COBURN (John H., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. MAY 1843 Ind. m/1 28 DEC 1856 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Cyrus Alton Nancy E. Neer b. 13 SEP 1843 Ohio d. 4 APR 1878 Ae 34y 7m 18d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

314. Henry b. c.1861 Ohio.

315. Ada b. c.1866 Ohio (poss. m. 20/26 AUG 1884 Defiance Co., Ohio Byron B. Comparet).

316. Hattie b. c.1867 Mich.

317. Matta L. (Wilda) b. 28 APR 1869 Sheridan Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich.

Oliver m/2 Mary A. Coleman b. OCT 1843 Mich d. 23 JUN 1912 Woodstock Twp., Lenawee Co., Mich. Ae 68y 6m 14d (chronic appoplexy).

In occupation, he was an "engineer." The last known residence was at Woodstock Twp., Lenawee Co., Mich. where his second wife died, reportedly a housewife and not a widow which indicates that he survived her.

The father-in-law, John Coleman, was enumerated with Oliver and Mary in 1900 census at the Lenawee Co., Mich. location.

119. PLUMA COBURN (Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 1841 d. 1916 bur. Christian Church Cem., Cortland, Ohio dau. of Otis R. Coburn and Emma A. Barstow m. 8 FEB 1863 Trumbull Co., Ohio by Rev. Hayden, William Galley for whom no data given.

Children: (Surname GALLEY)

318. Wallace.

+319. Esther b. 1898 d. 1978.

Pluma m/2 - - - - Shipman and resided at Johnston, Ohio.

121. BRUCE COBURN (Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 10 AUG 1849 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 19 DEC 1932 Garrettsville, Portage Co., Ohio at the home of dau. Martha Harris (cancer of prostate and cerebral embolism) bur. Gustavus, Trumbull Co., Ohio m/1 1 MAY 1871 Gustavus, Ohio Hattie Barber b. 1851 d. 20 JAN 1883 (blood poisoning following birth of twins).

Children: (Surname COBURN)

320. Halbert E. b. 25 JAN 1872 Gustavus, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 1931 Calif. Unm.
321. Linn Adda b. 21 DEC 1875 Gustavus, Ohio (deaf and dumb) d. 6 MAR 1902 (epilepsy) at her school in Columbus, Ohio.
+322. Ora (dau.) (twin) b. 4 JAN 1883 d. 5 OCT 1957.
323. Nora (twin) b. 4 JAN 1883 Gustavus, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 9 JAN 1883 (jaundice)

Following the death of his first wife, Bruce m/2 20 NOV 1884 Geauga Co., Ohio by D. Rowland, min. Anna Rose Goff b. 16 FEB 1856 d. 11 DEC 1929 (arterio sclerosis) bur. Gustavus Cem., dau. of Noah Mills Goff and Caroline S. Bartholomew.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +324. Frank Mills b. 31 OCT 1887 d. 2 FEB 1968.
+325. Harriet Louisa b. 6 DEC 1891 d. Aurora, Ohio.
+326. Martha Caroline b. 29 MAY 1893 d. 14 DEC 1976.

Bruce Coburn was a farmer in occupation and inherited the farm of his father-in-law, Noah Mills Goff, who had been living with Bruce's family and committed suicide by hanging himself in the barn. Bruce lost his left arm when it was caught in a corn cutter and had to be amputated. He remained normally active thereafter, however, and a newspaper stated, "He saws, chops, splits and piles wood all by his lonesome self and does a good job it." He sold the farm about 1914 and then tended cemetery in Burton and was school janitor there.

Obituary:

Bruce Coburn Died Monday, December 19, (1932). Death Comes at Home of Daughter in Garrettsville. Funeral Thursday. Bruce Coburn, a resident of Burton for many years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Martha Harris, in Garrettsville, Monday, following an illness of several months. He was born in Bazetta, Trumbull Co., on August 10th, 1849, the fourth child of Otis and Emma Barstow Coburn. When only six months old he traveled from Ohio to Wisconsin in a covered wagon with his parents. When he was about five years old, the family returned to Trumbull County and the remainder of his boyhood was spent there. On May 1, 1871, he married Miss Hattie Barber of Gustavus and four children were born to them, Halbert, who died last year in California, a daughter Linn, who passed away in Columbus in 1901, and twin daughters, Mrs. Ora Huff of Burton and Nora, who died in infancy. Mrs. Coburn died on Jan. 20, 1883. On November 20, 1884, he married Miss Anna Goff of Troy and they made their home in Gustavus, moving to Troy a short time later. Three children were born to them all of them still living -- Frank of Auburn, Mrs. Hattie Brown of Aurora and

Mrs. Martha Harris of Garrettsville. About eighteen years ago, he sold his farm in Troy and moved to Burton. They made their home in the village until about five years ago when they gave up their home and went to live with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Harris. Mrs. Coburn passed away about three years ago. Funeral services for Mr. Coburn were held at the Mallory Funeral Home in Garrettsville on Thursday afternoon, Rev. P. L. Curtiss officiating. Interment was made in Gustavus.

Obituary:

Former Burton Resident Dies at Garrettsville. Funeral Services Held at Congregational Church Saturday Afternoon. Mrs. Anna Coburn, for fifteen years a resident of Burton, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Harris, in Garrettsville, last Tuesday night from heart trouble (Dec. 11, 1929). Mrs. Coburn was the only daughter of Mills and Caroline Goff and was born in Troy Township, Feb. 16, 1856. On November 20, 1884, she married Bruce Coburn of Gustavus. Most of their married life they lived in Troy. About two years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Coburn gave up their home in Burton on account of Mrs. Coburn's health and spent the greater share of their time in Garrettsville with their daughter and family. While in Burton Mrs. Coburn took great interest in the Rebekah Lodge of which she was a member. In testimony of their esteem for her, this organization attended the last services in a body. She also was a faithful member of the Burton Congregational Church. Surviving are her husband, her son, F. M. Coburn of Ravenna; two daughters, Mrs. J. L. Brown of Aurora and Mrs. Harris of Garrettsville; two step-children, H. E. Coburn of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Ray Huff of Burton. She also leaves two brothers, George Goff of Burton and Ben Goff of Middlefield. The last services were held on Saturday afternoon, December 14, at the Congregational Church in Burton, Rev. W. E. Stevens officiating with burial at Gustavus.

132. MARY ADELIA DERMOTT (Ann, Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 8 OCT 1844 Ind. d. 23 AUG 1905 Ae 60y 10m 15d Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. dau. of John E. Dermott and Ann Coburn m. 1 DEC 1864/65 Coburn's Corners, DeKalb Co., Ind. Albert Martin Alton b. 27 DEC 1844 Ind. d. 16 APR 1924 Ae 79y 3m 19d East Lansing, Mich. bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich. s. of Lorenzo Dow Alton and Aurelia C. Netterfield.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

- 327. Anna A. b. 2 APR 1867 Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. m. Duane D. Darling. Resided Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 328. Dallas D. b. 15 MAR/APR 1869 Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. m. Sadie Baker.
- 329. Gertrude E. b. c.1871 Mich. m. Prof. E. J. Martin. Res. Detroit, Mich.
- 330. Benjamin F. b. c.1872 d. 15 MAR 1880 Ae 7y 5m 4d Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. (scarlet fever).
- 331. Joseph J. b. c.MAR 1877 d. 18 AUG 1879 Ae 2y 5m Od.
- 332. Brittie M. b. MAY 1883 Mich. m. J. Frank Birdsall. Res. Hart, Mich.

Following the death of his first wife, Albert Alton m/2 15 MAY 1907 Candace Cordelia King (his cousin) b. 19 NOV 1852 Ind. d. 19 NOV 1931 dau. of Alonzo

King and Marilla Alton. She had m/1 Ashur Marion Dermott and her 2nd marriage to Albert Alton did not last, allegedly because her Dermott children were not kind to him.

Albert m/3 24 DEC 1914 Emma Vincent who was b. Lexington, Mich. She had m. prev. - - - - Clancy.

In occupation, Albert was a farmer. He served in the War of the Rebellion in Co. F 118th Inf. mustered in 5 SEP 1863 as a corporal and mustered out 1 MAR 1864.

134. AUGUSTUS B. COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 1848 Ind. s. of Russell G. Coburn and Mary Milliman m. 14 OCT 1871 DeKalb Co., Ind. by J. F. Coburn Martha C. Wyckoff.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+333. Cornelia b. c.1875

According to ads appearing in the St. Joe News during the period 1887-88, Augustus was then a broker dealing in land sales in the State of Arkansas. Perhaps he removed to that area and this is why nothing further is known about him and his family.

135. SARAH JANE COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 16 MAR 1850 Ind. d. 24/27 JAN 1905/05 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Russell G. Coburn and Mary Milliman m. 27 SEP 1873 DeKalb Co., Ind. O. Jacob Baker b. 25/26 MAR 1849 Fulton Co., Ohio d. 29/30 MAY 1925 Ae 76 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of John R. Baker and Rebecca Geralman (sp ?).

Children: (Surname BAKER)

334. John Jr. b. c.1875 Ind. Resided Allen Co., Ind.

+335. Mary R. b. 9 AUG 1875/76 d. 2 MAY 1945.

+336. Anna (Hannah ?) d. c.1974/75.

337. A. Meade b. c.1878 Ind. m/1 - - - - Liehty m/2 24 SEP 1914 Wabash, Wabash Co., Ind. Stella Richwine of Wabash, Ind. No known issue of either marriage. Meade, as he was commonly called, operated a butcher shop in Wabash, Ind. for some years and in December, 1925 became Postmaster at St. Joe, Ind. An item of Feb. 17, 1944 reported, "Meade Baker was removed from Fairmount, Ind. to the Ball Memorial Hospital at Muncie, Ind., last week to undergo another operation to correct conditions caused by an incomplete operation performed by a Fort Wayne surgeon last August.....+

338. Elizabeth d. c.1977/78 Akron, Ohio m/1 Earl Smith, a telegraph operator, and res. North Baltimore, Ohio. She m/2 Harry Urmsen and poss. m. a third time but information is lacking. It is believed there was no issue of any marriage.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., June 4, 1925.

Jacob Baker, son of John and Rebecca Baker, was born in Fulton county, Ohio, March 25, 1849. When but a child of three years the family removed to Pennsylvania, near Chambersburg, and at the age of twelve, removed to DeKalb county, near Spencerville, Indiana, where he grew to young manhood. At the age of twenty-four he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Jane Coburn, September 27, 1873, and the remaining years of his broad span of life were spent in and near St. Joe, Indiana.

The wife preceded him in death January 24, 1904. To the marriage union was born five children, all of whom survive. John R. Baker, of Allen county; Mrs. Matie Gee and Meade Baker, of St. Joe; Mrs. Anna Frank, of Auburn and Mrs. Harry Urmson, of Akron, O.

He leaves two brothers; Theodore Baker, of Hicksville, Ohio and Alvin H. Baker, of Wabash, Indiana, also ten grandchildren and one great grandchild.

In early married life he united with the Christian church at Coburn's Corners, to which he remained faithful until the close of life.

Until two years ago, he was a most active and busy man; then came the breakdown, and the final illness of about two months duration, resulting in death, Friday afternoon, at 2:15, May 29, 1925.

His simplicity of character was manifest in his dislike of sham and pretense. He was always ready to deny himself for the comfort and benefit of his family. He was thoughtful of others, upright, honorable and absolutely honest. These, with other rugged, sterling qualities endeared him to the hearts of his children and a legion of friends, neighbors and relatives.

136. PHOEBE EVANGALENE (EVA) COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 7 NOV 1853 Ind. d. 11 DEC 1918 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Russell G. Coburn and Mary Milliman m. 13 APR 1877 DeKalb Co., Ind. Albert C. Monroe b. 15 MAY 1855 Iowa d. 15 AUG 1924 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind., his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname MONROE)

- 339. Clinton b. c.1878 Ind.
- 340. Ross b. JAN 1880 Ind.
- 341. (son) b. 22 JUL 1883 DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 342. Nora b. 18 MAR 1885 DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 343. (son) no date or other information.

This family reportedly resided at Hicksville, Ohio; believed to have relocated there from DeKalb Co., Ind. around the turn of the century.

137. ELSIE ANN COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 26 AUG 1857 m. 20 MAR 1887 Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich. George Sturtevant whose dates and parentage are not given. Elsie's parents were Russell G. Coburn and Mary Milliman.

Children: (Surname STURTEVANT)

- 344. Harry d. inf.
- 345. Avis b. 20 JAN 1891 Oceana Co., Mich.
- 346. Marian Altha b. 26 OCT 1894 Oceana Co., Mich.
- 347. (AD) Blythe Juanita b. 18 OCT 1899 Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich.

Elsie was enumerated in the 1880 census at Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. as a "servant" in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Adelbert and Mary Elizabeth Corbin.

138. MARY ELIZABETH COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 10 JAN 1859 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 21 MAY 1909 Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of Russell G. Coburn and Mary Milliman m. 4 JUL 1881 Adelbert E. Corbin b. c.1860 Mich., his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CORBIN)

- 348. Coral b. 1 APR 1880 Mich. Res. at home MAY 1909.
- 349. Frankie (dau.) Res. at home MAY 1909.
- 350. Flossie Res. at home MAY 1909.
- 351. Merle Res. Grand Rapids, Mich. MAY 1909.

Adelbert Corbin was a farmer in occupation.

From the May 27, 1909 issue of the St. Joe News, we read, "Word has been received that Mrs. Adelbert Corbin of Hesperia, Mich. died on last Friday morning, after a long and painful sickness of many months. It was not unexpected by the friends here as they had been expecting to get such news for some time. She was the daughter of R. G. Coburn."

This further information appeared in the June 10, 1909 issue of the St. Joe News: Mary Eliza Coburn was born in DeKalb County, Ind., January 10, 1859 and died in the family home in this village (Hesperia, Mich.) on Friday morning, May 21, 1909. On July 4, 1881 she was united in marriage to Adelbert E. Corbin. Shortly after their marriage they lived in Newaygo county and have lived in this vicinity ever since. One son and three daughters all of whom have been raised in this community (Hesperia); these include Miss Frankie of Chicago, Merle of Grand Rapids, and Coral and Flossie at home.

Inasmuch as Adelbert and Mary Elizabeth were enumerated in 1880 at Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich., it is obvious that the above stated marriage date in 1881 must be in error.

140. WARREN W. COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 6 MAY 1861 Ind. d. 9 JUN 1938 Ae 76 Fort Wayne, Ind. (St. Joseph Hosp.) bur. Lindenwood Cem., Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Russell Coburn and Mary Milliman m. 2 AUG 1913 Allen Co., Ind. Cora Ann Williams b. 11 AUG 1865 d. 21 AUG 1946 bur. Lindenwood Cem., Ft. Wayne, Ind. (her name sometimes given as "Withers" apparently in error)

Children: (Surname COBURN)



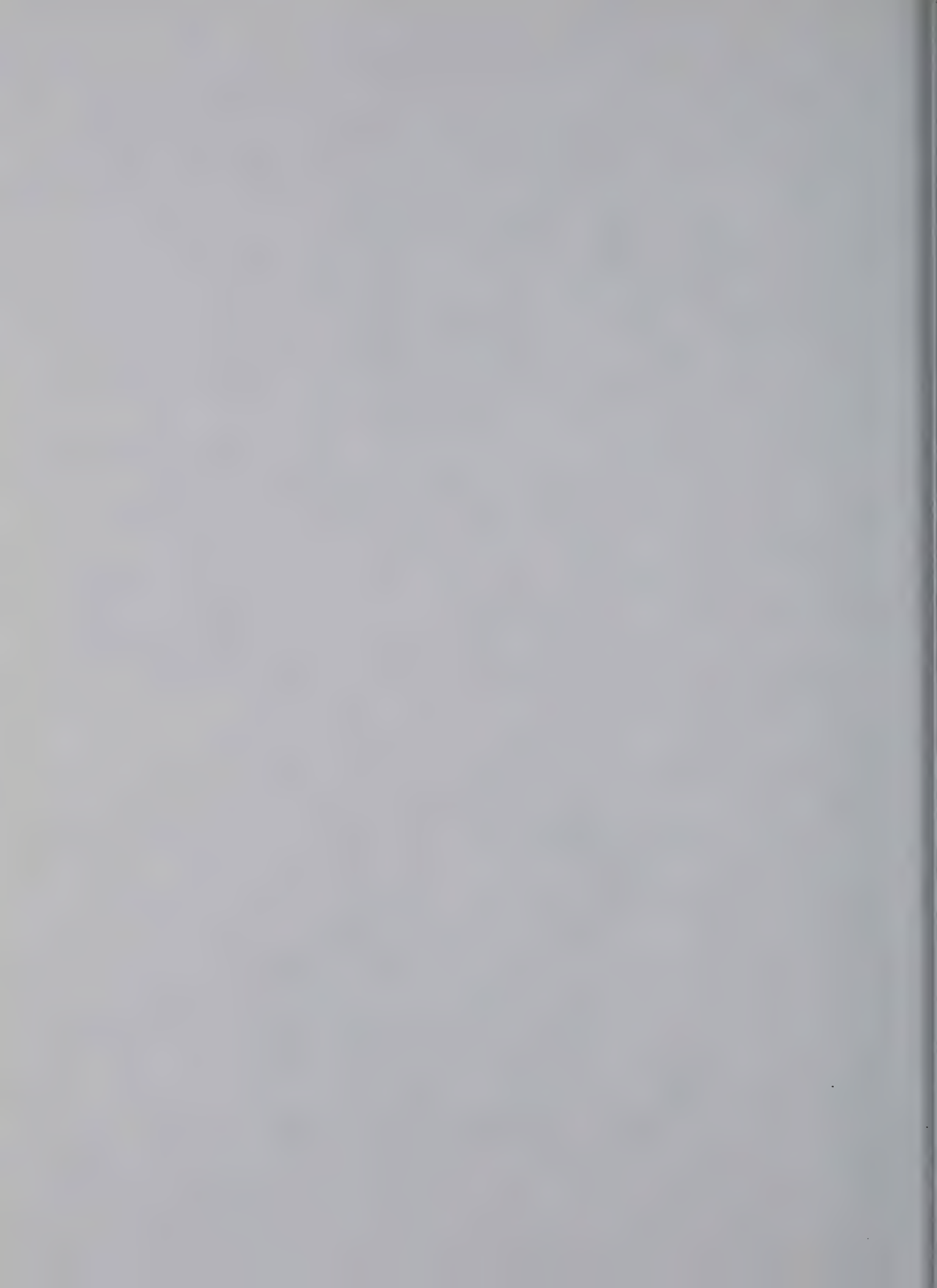
Wilmot P. Coburn fam., L-R:
(rear) Delphia, Laura, Floyd,
Walter; (front) Wilmot, Kenneth
wife Sarah Louisa



Wilmot P. Coburn (=50)



L-R: Laura (#181), Floyd (#179),
Kenneth (#184), Walter H. (#182)
Coburn



352. Lloyd R. b. 29 OCT 1884 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Warren W. Coburn and Cora Ann Williams m/1 Gertrude Estella - - - - who d. 9 JUL 1929 m/2 22 APR 1931 Juanita R. Ryan b. 4 MAR 1892 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Wm. C. Ryan and Marie L. Chaney. Juanity had m. prev. - - - - Aldrich.
- +353. Ora E. b. 13 AUG 1887 d. 10 JAN 1921.
354. Daisy May b. prob. c.1895 m. 8 NOV 1911 Omega, NY Edward Smith.
355. Roscoe G. b. c.1899 Ohio m. 17 JUN 1922 Fort Wayne, Ind. by - - - - Green Susan P. Dunlap b. c.1901 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Lloyd Dunlap and Rella Kinman. No issue. Susan m/2 7 JAN 1930 Fort Wayne, Ind. by W. H. Hughes Carl J. Crothers, a dairyman, b. c.1908 Ind. s. of Leslie Crothers and Mary Vandolick.

Warren W. Coburn was a mason and bricklayer in occupation. He reportedly lived for a time at Wabash, Indiana but his residence was mainly at Fort Wayne, Ind.

The above-stated marriage date taken from the Allen County, Ind. marriage records appears in error inasmuch as Cora Ann seems to have been the mother of the children listed and their birth dates do not permit this marriage date.

Obituary: Journal-Gazette, June 10, 1938.

Warren W. Coburn, 76,d. Thurs. at St. Josephs Hospital. He was a brick-layer by trade and was a member of the Bricklayers, Masons, and Plasterers Union. He was a member of the First Baptist church..... Survivors include the widow, Cora, two sons, Lloyd R. and Roscoe G. Coburn of this city, five grandchildren and one great grandchild, and a sister, Mrs. Harriet Sturtevant, of Hesperia, Michigan..... Burial in Lindenwood cemetery.

Obituary: Fort Wayne Journal Gazette, August 21, 1946.

Mrs. Cora Ann Coburn, 81, who made her home with a granddaughter, Lucille Curie, died Tuesday from a heart attack while visiting a nephew, Virgil Dorsey, RR3, Hicksville, Ohio..... Burial in Lindenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Coburn is also survived by two sons, Lloyd R., Fort Wayne, and Roscoe G., Indianapolis, a brother, John Williams, of Kendallville, four grandchildren and a great granddaughter. Mrs. Coburn was a member of the Church of Christ.

141. CAROLINE E. (CARRIE) COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. c. 1864/65 Ind. dau. of Russell G. Coburn and Mary Milliman m. 2 SEP 1883 DeKalb Co., Ind. Marcellus D. Gee b. NOV 1857 Ind. d. 22 MAY 1925 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Irene Byron Sanitorium) bur. Kendallville, Noble Co, Ind. s. of Harlow J. Gee and Lucinda Loomis.

Children: (Surname GEE)

356. Leslie S. b. 27/28 JUL 1884 Ind. m. 23 MAR 1913 Vera Brace b. c.1890.
357. Marvel b. 29 DEC 1886 Ind. d. JUN 19616 Kendallville Ind. m/1 16 JUL 1905 Carl S. Kincaide m/2 W. H. Grimes b. c.1885.

358. Charles Harrison b. 27 MAY 1889 St. Joe, Ind. m. 6 NOV 1912 Alma Luella Ziebell b. 19 SEP 1893 Helmer, Steuben Co., Ind. dau. of Charles Edward Ziebell and Mary Ester Hovarter.
359. Zelma J. Gee b. 1 JUN 1892 m. 31 DEC 1917 Frank S. Masters (marriage application not returned).

Marcellus was commonly known as "Sel." His occupation was carpenter.

142. HARRIET ALMIRA (HATTIE) COBURN (Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 1 APR 1868 DeKalb Co., Ind., living JUN 1938 dau. of Russell G. Coburn and Mary Milliman m/1 21 MAR 1886 DeKalb Co., Ind.. and divd. William Henry Wade b. 16 DEC 1860 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1927 s. of Thomas N. Wade and Mary Clemens. He is bur. Leek Cem., Okemos, Ingham Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname WADE)

360. Aubrey b. 15 DEC 1888 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. Winifred - - - -.
- +361. Merritt R. b. 4 JUN 1892 d. 24 MAY 1960.
362. (dau.) d. inf.

Harriet m/2 Orlo Sturtevant.

145. EMMA A. COBURN (Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 16 SEP 1850 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 3 JUN 1926 Ae 75 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Charles M. Coburn and Almira Milliman m. 2 OCT 1870 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Elder J. Bumpus James Wesley Hart b. OCT 1846 Ashland Co., Ohio d. 21 NOV 1934 Ae 88 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of James Hart and Margaret Bohles. Emma and James are both bur. Alton Co., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname HART)

- +363. Henry Franklin b. AUG 1871.
- +374. Effie A., b. 1873 d. 1928.
- +375. Margaret Almira b. 12 OCT 1874 d. 11 SEP 1943.
376. Charles W. b. c.1877.
- +377. Jonathan Coy b. MAY 1879 d. 1945.
- +378. Jessie Jay b. 16 NOV 1884 d. 1954.
379. Grover Cleveland prob. DY (a newspaper item gives his birth as DEC 1884 apparently in error; perhaps should be 1885).

The following item appeared in the St. Joe News; Thurs., Oct. 7, 1920: "Jas. Wesley Hart and wife celebrated ltheir fiftieth wedding anniversary, October 2, 1920. Four of their children were present: Effie, Almira, John and Jay. The two oldest boys Frank, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Charley and wife of Indianapolis were unable to be present. Two brothers, Frank Hart and wife and McClellan Hart and wife and a sister, Mrs. Melissa Dermott were present."

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs, June 10, 1926.

Emma A. Coburn, daughter of Chas. M. and Almira Coburn, was born in DeKalb county, Indiana, September 16, 1850 and passed into the realms of rest, June 3, 1926, aged

75 years, 8 months and 17 days. In October, 1870 she was united in marriage to James W. Hart. To this union was born six children, Henry Franklin, who resides in El Centro, California; Effie A. Schoolmaster of Lansing, Mich.; M. Almira Conine near Cole's Corners; Charles W. of Los Angeles, Cal., Jonathan C. of Fort Wayne and Jesse J. who resides on the old homestead one mile south and one mile east of Coburn's Corners; all of whom are living, also the aged husband and twenty-six grandchildren.

Mrs. Hart was converted to the Christmas faith at the age of twelve and remained a faithful, consistent Christian throughout her life, being the oldest member of the Coburn's Corners congregation. She was a true Christian mother, friend and neighbor. Her life speaks for itself. Those who knew her, loved her most.

She was stricken with apppoplexy January 13, while in the home of her niece, Mrs. Fred Hart and was moved to the home of McClellan Hart, the husband's brother, four weeks later, where she suffered a second stroke which resulted in her death June 3rd.

148. WILLIAM HENRY H. COBURN (Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 16 JAN 1857 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 3 JUL 1932 Garrison, Benton Co., Iowa bur. Bull Cem., Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Charles M. Coburn and Almira Milliman m/1 prob. c.1864 Sarah - - - -.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

380. Frank b. c.1865 d. 16 JAN 1920 Richland Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. Apparently unm.

William m/2 15 APR 1885 at Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. Margaret A. Robertson b. 2/10 JAN 1862 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 4 APR 1926 same place (cancer of neck) bur. Bull Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of David Robertson and Jane (Jennie) Buick.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

381. William H. Jr. (twin) b. 14 JAN 1886 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich.

382. Ralph Waldo (twin) b. 15 JAN 1886 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 1 JUN 1966 McIntosh, S.D. Unm.

383. William Lloyd b. 9 OCT 1887 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 29 AUG 1969 Ephrata, Grant Co., Wash. m. before 1913 May Monday. (Believed to have adopted a dau.)

+384. Bertha b. 18 JUN 1890.

385. Anne b. 7 OCT 1893 d. 2 FEB 1974 Schoolcraft, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. m. 23 JUN 1931 at Gaylord, Otsego Co., Mich. Donald Weston.

+386. Don Robertson b. 21 AUG 1896 d. 13 DEC 1964 Ft. Baird, N.M.

+387. Mabel b. 23 JUL 1902.

+388. Dorothy b. 18 MAY 1907.

In occupation, William was a farmer and in the 1900 census was enumerated as owning a farm free of mortgage. The family residence was given as Fremont, Michigan.

149. CHARLES MARBLE COBURN JR. (Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. FEB 1859 Ind. d. 16 NOV 1925 Ae 66y 8 m 19d Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. (art. insufficiency) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Charles Marble Coburn and Almira Milliman m/1 15 MAR 1880 Ada Mary Dickinson b. 10 DEC 1859 Mich. d. 15 JUN 1880 bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Phillip Dickinson and Saphronia Tibbitts.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

389. Myra Saphronia b. 1881 d. JAN 1939 reportedly m. - - - - Somers.

After the death of his first wife, Charles m/2 c.1882/83 Dora Hubbard b. AUG 1862 NY d. 1934 bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+390. Winifred M. b. 3 OCT 1883 d. 13 JUL 1964.

391. Catie (Katie) Melonia b. 15 APR 1885 Mich. reportedly m. - - - - Dickinson, or Dickerson.

392. Emma E. b. 26 AUG 1886 m. 10 APR 1904 Walkerville, Oceana Co., Mich. by Chas. Conklin, J.P. Emery Violet b. c.1886 s. of Henry Violet and Rose Groff. He was a farmer in occupation.

393. Charles b. 28 NOV 1888 Mich. m. Rosa Jones. Served USN WWI, aboard USS SALEM. Visited St. Joe, Ind. 1919 and 1920.

394. Manna (Mouna) Loa b. 21 APR 1889 m. William Schlaughter.

395. Elgin S. b. 12 MAR 1891 Mich. d. 19 JAN 1962 Fremont, Mich. m. Gladys A. Bull b. Muskegon, Mich. No issue. He was a mail carrier at Fremont, Mich. 1942-1945.

396. Sylvester S. b. and d. 10 APR 1894 (stillborn). (there may have been a twin (dau.) b/d this same date, also stillborn)

397. Bennie b. 21 JAN 1895 (stillborn).

+398. Ruby Doris b. 27 SEP 1897 d. 22 JUN 1965 (twin).

399. BIRTHA (sic) b. 27 SEP 1897 (twin) d. 8 NOV 1898 Ae 1y 1m 12d (cholera infantum).

400. Alice F. b. c.JUL 1903 d. 28 FEB 1906 Ae 2y 8m 23d (pneumonia) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Mich.

In accupation, Charles was a farmer and owned his own farm. However, his residence was given as Fremont, Michigan.

From news items appearing from time to time in the St. Joe News, Charles visited the area occasionally maintaining a close tie with daughter Winifred who resided there from the time of her marriage and renewing old friendships with acquaintances in that community. A letter written by Charles Coburn to Mr. Moon, publisher of a newspaper at Hesperia, Mich., following one of his visits to Indiana is being reproduced herein because of its generally interesting contents.

152. ELLA CLAY COBURN (Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 30 JAN 1879 Ind. d. 19 FEB 1958 Jackson, Jackson Co., Mich. bur. Hillcrest Cem., Jackson, Mich. s. of Charles M. Coburn and Jane E. Allen m. 7 JUL 1910 DeKalb Co., Ind. Beulah DeMerle Koch b. 9 APR 1885 Ind. d. 17 FEB 1969 Jackson, Mich. dau. of John Wilson Koch and Christina Priscilla (Anna) Timmerman. Beulah also is bur. Hillcrest Cem., Jackson, Mich.

From the St. Joe News; Thurs., Mar. 24, 1910:

VISITED OLD HOME

Chas. M. Coburn writes concerning his visit here some weeks ago.

Hesperia, Feb., 1910

Friend Moon:

Having just returned from a very enjoyable trip to the Hoosier state, the place of my birth and where I grew to manhood, and thinking that perhaps my friends would like a report of the same, I will ask for a little space in your valuable paper for that purpose. I wish to say right here that I didn't have to wait until I got to Indiana before the feast was spread, for I rode over to Brunswick with genial Ed Carbine, stopping on the way at the Becker mansion for a short visit and a good supper. I was entertained overnight at Carbine's home. (By the way, there is only one Ed Carbine.) I spent the day at Muskegon attending the District Convention of Highway Commissioners for Newaygo, Oceana and Muskegon counties, which was very instructive and beneficial to those who are interested in better roads. Would like to say something along this line but for want of space will leave it for a later date. In the evening went by electric car to Grand Rapids and to the Soldiers' home where I had a short visit with my mother's veteran brother who has charge of the watering plant of the home. He seemed to be contented and happy.

Next morning went by G.R. & I. to Avilla, then by B & O to St. Joe Station, and to my father's house one mile out of town. Toward evening my brother took me in cutter to my daughter's, Mrs. Fred Hart. There was to be a sociable of the young married people's Sunday School class that evening at my sister's, Mrs. J. W. Hart, so I was counted in with the sled load.

Except that my sister is slowly recoving from a painful runaway accident, I found nearly everybody enjoying good health, and somewhat surprised. For fear I forget I wish to say that for mentally well preserved old people I believe this locality bears the palm of 16 persons, nine men and seven women, an average of 83 years have been attained. My father 82 years, and uncle R. G. Coburn 84 years being among the number. I saw Uncle Moses Perry, the oldest one of the number (91 years) cutting wood alone with a crosscut saw.

On Friday evening I attended Coburn's Corners band practice. They have a silver cornet band of more than twenty pieces said to be the best band in northern Indiana. They honored me by playing several selections. If I could secure their services don't know but I would run for president.

On Sunday morning I attended a very lively Sunday School at the Corners, 80 in attendance, mostly young people. They use the piano and cornet to assist

the singing. After Sunday School, social meeting, subject for discussion "Christian practice."

Last week was without special incident only that I didn't seem to know enough to regulate my capacity for the good things set before me and, well, nuff said.

Monday morning, January 31, rode nine miles in buggy to Butler, by cars to Kendallville, Grand Rapids, Muskegon and Fremont the same day where found my better ½ glad (I guess) to see me. Am dieting now.

Truly,

Chas. M. Coburn

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +398. Charles W. b. 27 SEP 1914, living 1983.
- 399. Lester Leroy b. 20 JUL 1918 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 SEP 1973 Jackson, Mich. (suicide shooting) bur. Hillcrest Cem., Jackson, Mich. Unm.
- +400. Eloise Elaine b. 9 JUL 1920.

For several years following their marriage, Clay and Beulah resided at Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio and then returned to St. Joe, Ind. They maintained their home in that area for some fifteen years or so before removing to Jackson, Mich. where Clay was employed by the Sparton Company; living out their years at that location.

In September, 1945, Clay was hospitalized due to a stroke from which he never fully recovered. Son Leroy devoted his time to the sport of trap shooting, at which he became quite accomplished, until the latter years of his parents' lives when undertook the task of caring for them.

153. CAROLINE BELLE COBURN (Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. c.1881 d. 13 MAY 1961 Ae 80 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Charles M. Coburn and Jane E. Allen m. 11 NOV 1899 DeKalb Co., Ind. Samuel Keesler b. 19 AUG 1873 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa d. 29 JUN 1950 Ae 76 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of Martin Keesler and Mary Baker.

Children: (Surname KEESLER)

- 401. Jane Elizabeth b. 2 AUG 1915 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 7 AUG 1928 Ae 13 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind.
- +402. Walter R. b. c.1901 d. 5 FEB 1922.
- +403. Doris b. 15 OCT 1905.
- +404. Henry C. b. 1908 d. 30 JUL 1981.
- 405. Clara m. L. N. Smith and resided eastern Ohio.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., July 6, 1950.

Final rites for Samuel Keesler, 76, of St. Joe were conducted Saturday in the St. Joe Church of Christ. Donald Foust, pastor of the church, officiated at the services and burial was in Riverside cemetery at St. Joe.

Mr. Keesler suffered a stroke of paralysis on Tuesday of last week and passed away at 4 a.m. last Thursday. His wife, the former Belle Coburn, found him lying unconscious on the davenport at their home when she returned from a visit to a neighbor's house. Mr. Keesler never regained consciousness.

Mr. Keesler was born Aug. 19, 1873, at Marshalltown, Ia., but resided in the St. Joe community for many years. He was the son of the late Martin and Mary Baker Keesler.

He was manager of the elevator for many years in St. Joe and was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving, besides the widow, are two sons, Walter Keesler of Nappanee and Henry Keesler of Rt. 1, Auburn; one daughter, Mrs. Doris Yeiser of St. Joe; ten grandchildren and four great grandchildren; two brothers, John Keesler of Edgerton and Alvin Keesler of Ft. Wayne; and three sisters Mrs. Minerva Dumon of Houston, Texas, Mrs. Allie Morr of Hillsdale, Mich., and Mrs. Clara Smith of Andover, Ohio.

155. HARLAN D. (BUTCH) COBURN (Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 29 MAR 1886 DeKalb Co., Ind. son of Charles M. Coburn and Jane E. Allen m. Kathryn - - - - d. DEC 1922 Quincy, Suffolk Co., Mass.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

406. Murial b. 17 MAR 1916 Quincy, Mass. m. c. DEC 1934 Wm. Mitchell.

It is believed that Harlan and Kathryn had at least one more child (a dau.).

This family removed from DeKalb Co., Ind. to Lansing, Mich. for a time and then relocated to Quincy, Mass. where it is believed they spent their remaining years.

156. LESTER C. (JIMMY) COBURN (Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 30 MAY 1893 (g.s.) St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 25 JAN 1974 Butler Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 1 JAN 1945 St. Joe, Ind. by Wm. Clague Nancy E. Miller b. 2 MAR 1899 (g.s.) Bellefonte, Penn. living 1981 dau. of Roland L. Miller and Amanda Eckley.

Lester's occupation has been given as farmer and shopwork.

There were no children of this marriage. However, Nancy brought with her two daughters when she and Lester were married. It is believed that she m. first a husband whose name is now unk. and who d. in 1926. Her second marriage was to - - - - Converse, believed to have been the father of her two children:

Betty K. b. 1920 d. 1970 bur. Alton Cem., m. - - - - Elert.

Maxine m. Daniel A. Deady.

Nancy's second husband died 1929 and she afterward m. - - - - Shively who d. in 1929.

The St. Joe News issue of Nov. 7, 1946 reported the following: "On Saturday, October 26, 1946, Miss Maxine Converse, daughter of Mrs. Lester Coburn of St. Joe, Indiana and Daniel A. Deady of Fort Wayne, son of Mrs. Andrew Zuba of Coldwater, Mich., were united in marriage by John L. Sennett, Minister of the St. Joe Church of Christ..... bride given in marriage by her stepfather."

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., May 14, 1936.

Sugar Diabetes Fatal to Mrs. Paul Perry. Mrs. Paul Perry, of St. Joe, died Sunday morning at 4:10 o'clock at the Sacred Heart Hospital, Garrett, from sugar diabetes. She was taken to the hospital on Saturday. Had she lived until Monday she would have been 40 years of age. Mrs. Perry was a daughter of Reuben Clouse, residing a mile east of Auburn on Road No. 8.

She is survived by the husband, father, two brothers, Worthy Clouse at home and Frank Clouse, of Waterloo, and three sisters, Mrs. Ethel Miller of east of Auburn, Mrs. Blanche Julian, of near Pleasant Lake, and Mrs. Florence Smith.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., May 27, 1948.

Full Military Rites for St. Joe Man Who Passed Away at Methodist Hospital Tuesday Afternoon. Paul Perry, a lifelong resident of DeKalb County and the St. Joe community, entered the hospital late Monday afternoon for a stomach operation, and his death, also attributed to a weak heart, came after about three hours and a half in surgery. Mr. Perry had been troubled by the stomach disorder since 1936 and been a patient at the veterans hospital at Marion and Indianapolis about five times in the last 12 years.

Except for the time he served his country in World War I, from April, 1917 to August, 1919, Mr. Perry resided almost his entire life in this community. He had been employed at the G. E. Company in Ft. Wayne for several years. He was a member of the St. Joe Church of Christ, and an active member of the American Legion Post here.

Survivors beside the wife, Helen, a beauty shop operator here, are two sisters, Mrs. Hazel Herrick of Ft. Wayne and Ruth Busz of Garrett; and three nephews and two nieces.

Full military rites will be conducted by Walter Whitehurst Post 283.

From the St. Joe News; Thurs., Feb. 6, 1919.

FROM THE BOYS IN SERVICE

Bendorf, Germany

January 6, 1918

My dear Parents:

Come take a trip with me from Brest to Bendorf.

First I will tell you something about our division. "The Famous Second," which consists of the 9th and 23rd Infantry, 5th and 6th Marines, 2nd Engineers, 12th, 15th, and 17th Artillery. The casualties suffered by us on all fronts were (officers 724, men 23,929) total 24,753. This is 10% of the casualties suffered by the A. E. F. The total prisoners captured by the 2nd division was 12,026, this is one-fourth of the enemy captured by the A. E. F. The guns captured, which is enemy artillery, was 343, this is one-fourth of the total guns captured by the A. E. F. How do you like this record? Where other outfits had failed we were called and the results were always successful.

Got into Brest (that is in the Bay) on the 27th of December, 1917, went to land and entrained the morning of the 31st. Left Brest at 1:30 o'clock. Reached Camp DuValdehon at 8 P.M., January 2nd. I have told you several times about these French cars how small they are but forty men were supposed to ride in one car. Well maybe we didn't enjoy the trip as well as we should as long as Uncle was paying for it, but sure was cold and tiresome. But anyway we got there. Took our drilling here for modern warfare. Was here until March 19th, (Valdehon is about 20 miles from Bessancon) entrained at Bessancon at 4 P.M. 20th, there we were in a rest camp until 23rd, which time we left for Woimbey (Tryon Sector) March 31st Easter, turkey and pie for supper. April 3rd, first casualties in our regiments. This was my first time under shell fire. Here was where I was recommended for Croix De Guerre. May 8th received my Croix De Guerre. Left Woimbey May 13th, hiked to Rivigney where we entrained in the evening of the 19th. Went through the factory district of Paris and detrained at Mem 3:50 P.M. The 21st started for Lattainville at this place we stayed ten days. June 1st, entrained at Gisora, detrained June 2nd at Ormoy-Villers. On this ride we passed Chaumont, Chars, Pontoise, St. Denis going north Dammartin and up to Ormoy-Villers.

Hello -- are you with me yet? Well let's get away from here. This is no place for us, (the 2nd division) no fighting here. On horseback we passed Betz, Aey, Lizy and stopped near Cochere for the night. June 3rd, left here this morning for Chateau Thierry front. This is a good place for us. Ha Ha. The doughboys got there two days before the artillery but on the morning of the 4th we had our guns in position. Here was our order, "Don't leave the gun." As you remember this was the turning point of the war. We had an observatory in no-man's-land here. Gee, that was a great thing, not many artillery regiments have an O.P. in no-man's-land. I spent a Sunday night there myself. It only lasted two days and two nights. The enemy got next to it and cleaned it out for us.

We left this sector to the 26th division and started for the drive at Soissons

July 15, I never saw traffic in any city like it was there. Of course it had been raining for several days and the roads were muddy. Tanks, trucks, wagons, guns and even dead horses in the ditch. It took me about eleven hours to go the seven kilometers, the first day after we got up there. You see we put up in a woods about ten kilometers back of the line the night of the 16th. Then the next day I took a detail of men to make a dugout for the telephone men and officers. This drive started about four o'clock the morning of the 18th. In making this move we hiked two days and two nights without stop. We were joined here by the 1st division and famous Moroccan division, (or the ear and head hunters).

Relieved here by the British and the 32nd division and went back a few kilometers, entrained going to Pont-a-Mouson Sector to receive and drill replacements. From here to the St. Mihiel, at this place our objective was Thiaucourt, but they didn't relieve us when we got there so made many more kilometers. As soon as we were relieved the French, under Gen. Gourand, called for the famous 2nd division to help take Blanc Mont in the Champagne front, so here we go doing our bit under French command, (by the way this is the third time we were under French command, the first front at Soissons and Champagne). This was the old Hindenburg line and the line had been the same since the war started. It was sure Hell, if you please. They had a system of trenches that was a bird, dugouts in the side of the trenches forty feet deep, (here is where I got my first cooties, sleeping in German dugouts). The attack opened with the French on each flank. But what would hold the 2nd division, "nothing," so we, the artillery, put over one of those famous creeping barrages of ours for several hours a steady bang, bang. We lost many men but after two days fighting, hard fighting it was too, we gained our objective but the French couldn't keep up. Our doughboys held their ground for two more days so to give the French a chance to catch up. The Germans had been ordered to hold their ground at any cost, but they couldn't do it. This is Gen. Gourand's command to his men, "For the honor of the French arms don't let the Americans outflank you." The enemy put up counter attacks repeatedly, but without success. We helped send them back of the Aisne river which was better than thirty kilometers, then left them to the French and 36th division. Now we thought sure we would get a big rest. We were even told that we wouldn't do any more fighting until next spring. So here we go back for more replacements, when the order caught us to go into the Argonne to help the Americans a little. The 1st division had gained some few kilometers then turned it over to the 42nd division (the Rainbow) so they lost a little ground. We blew into possession the night of the 30th of October. The morning of November 1st the fight was on, 2nd division against Fritz. We all helped start the ball rolling here 1st, 42nd, 2nd, and a few other divisions. The first day we gained nine kilometers taking several small towns one being Buzanzy. Second and third days fifteen kilometers and three more days had driven them back of the Meuse river and opened the way to Sedan.

We were the cause of the German High Command to make this statement for the first time, "our lines have been broken." We also made the last attack of the war the night before the armistice was granted and gained seven kilometers across the Meuse.

This is in brief some of the records of the 2nd division known as the "Famous American Shock Troops."

As you see we took places where other troops failed. I am not only saying this because I belong to the division but it is true and what I have said can be backed up. No other division has been on as many fronts as we. The fronts in order as we went to them are as follows: The Verdun Sector, Chauteau Thierry, Soissons, Pont-A-Mouson, St. Mihiel, Champagne and Argonne. A record that cannot be beat.

Must close,

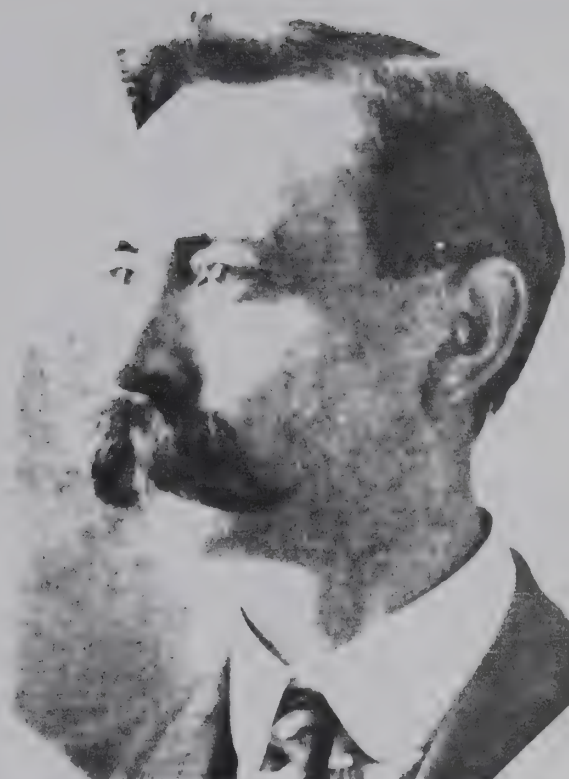
With love and best wishes.

Your son,

Cpl. Paul A. Perry,
17th F.A.H.Q. Co.



Mary Cordelia Coburn (#93)



Ephraim N. Wade, husb.
of M. Cordelia Coburn



Walter H. Coburn (#182) &
w. Harriet A. VanDeVenter

COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION FIVE
(Coburntown Branch)

163. ASHUR MARION DERMOTT (Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 MAR 1849 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. d. 31 DEC 1902 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Jacob Dermott and Phoebe Coburn m. 7 MAY 1871 DeKalb Co., Ind. Candace Cordelia King b. 9 NOV 1852 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 19/20 NOV 1931 Ae 79y 10d DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Alonzo King and Marilla Alton.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

407. Mark b. 11 JAN 1881 d. 1 OCT 1881 Ae 8m 20d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
408. Cyrus Victor b. 21 SEP 1882 d. 31 OCT 1949 Ae 67 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
+409. Forest K. b. 31 JAN 1885 d. 1964.

After Ashur's death, Candace m/2 15 MAY 1901 Albert M. Alton (her cousin) but the marriage was of short duration (see data entered under descendant #132 in this volume.

Ashur removed with his parents from Allen Co., Ind. to DeKalb Co., Ind. in 1851 when he was but two years old. He was more commonly known as "Marion," perhaps to avoid confusion with Asher and Asher W. Coburn. In occupation, he was a farmer, residing nearly all of his life in DeKalb Co., Ind.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Jan. 7, 1903

Word was received at this place last Wednesday that A. M. Dermott, who resided east of this place, had died from the effect of an operation at Ann Arbor, Mich. His body was brought home Wednesday evening, over the Wabash, and the funeral services were held at his home Friday, Rev. Speer, of Hicksville, officiating. Burial took place in the Coburntown cemetery under direction of funeral director, A. Kinsey, of this place.

Marion Dermott was born in Fort Wayne, Allen County, Ind., March 23, 1849. His parents, Jacob and Phoebe Dermott, removed to DeKalb county, Ind., when he was about two years of age, which has since been his home.

He was married to Cordelia King, the only daughter of Alonzo and Murilla (sic) King, May 7, 1871. To this marriage three children were born, Mark, Victor and Forest, little Mark dying when about one year old.

The disease which caused his death was abcess and gall stones of the liver which had obstructed and closed the pyloric orifice of the stomach and made a surgical operation necessary.

He united with the Christian church at St. Joe during a series of meetings

held by Bro. Sherman. He retained his cheerful and joyous disposition until the very last, seldom complaining his friends not realizing his condition. His disease was of about four years standing.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Nov. 26, 1931.

Candace Cordelia (King) Dermott, the only daughter of Alonzo and Marilla King and the granddaughter of Benjamin Alton, one of the first settlers in DeKalb County, was born in Concord township on November 19, 1852, departed this life November 19, 1931, aged 79 years, and 10 days.

She became the wife of Marion Dermott on May 7, 1871. To this union was born three children, Mark, who died when he was one year old, Victor and Forest. Mr. Dermott departed this life on December 31, 1902.

She became a member of the church at Coburn's Corners under the preaching of Cyrus Alton on May 15, 1867 having been a member for 64 years.

The sickness which terminated in her death dated from September 26 when she fell breaking her limb. The care given by her son, Victor, in her old age has been a perfect expression of love and devotion. She leaves to mourn her loss two sons, Victor and Forest, two grandchildren, Marion and Evelyn, and a host of friends.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Nov. 10, 1949.

Cyrus Victor Dermott, aged 67, who lived about one mile north of the Coburntown Church of Christ, was found dead in bed last Tuesday morning, Nov. 1. A neighbor, Arden Inlow, not having seen Mr. Dermott at all during the day, became alarmed and upon investigation found him dead. Dr. P. Reynolds, DeKalb County Deputy Coroner, determined the time of death as sometime Monday night.

Mr. Dermott was born September 22, 1882 in Concord Township, DeKalb County, Indiana, and was a son of Marion and Cordelia King Dermott. He had engaged in farming all his life on the same farm where he died. He had assisted some in the care of the Alton cemetery which was near his home.

Surviving him are a brother, Forest of Newville Township; a niece, Mrs. Evelyn Murphy of Antwerp and a nephew, Marion of St. Joe.

164. JOHN EVANS DERMOTT (Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 JAN 1852 Ind. d. 25 MAY 1944 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich. (at the home of son Deo) m. 22 FEB 1874 Mary Cordelia Saylor b. JAN 1854 Ind. dau. of Henry Saylor and Elizabeth Wilbur.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

+410. Claudia Cordelia b. JUN 1879 d. 1 MAR 1966.

+411. Deo b. JAN 1883.

412. Wilbur b. 4 OCT 1898 d. 16 FEB 1917. (see account of his death which is given below)

John Evans Dermott was a son of Jacob Dermott and Phoebe Coburn. He was commonly addressed as "J. Evans" which resulted in some confusion whether his first name was John or Jacob. He served as a school teacher from 1871 to 1892 and thereafter was a farmer in occupation. The family removed from DeKalb Co., Ind. to Branch Co., Mich. in 1907 where they remained.

On the occasion of their 55th wedding anniversary at Coldwater, Mich. the Coldwater Daily Reporter wrote about the event and this story was later reproduced in the St. Joe News issue of Thurs., Mar. 28, 1929. A portion of this article is set out below because of its possible interest to descendants of Coburntown families.

"Grandfather" Asher Coburn settled in DeKalb County in the spring of 1835, bought government land near St. Joe then went back to Trumbull County, Ohio after his family, his brother John F. Coburn and family accompanying them to the new settlement. They started with ox teams and covered wagons through the wilderness. When they reached the part of Ohio then known as the "Black Swamp," the low land on each side of the Maumee River extending from Lake Erie to Fort Wayne, the fall rains had set in and the land was flooded for miles and miles. The families were obliged to winter in Ohio. Early in the spring of 1836 they completed their journey and arrived at their destination. They lived in their wagons until the cabins were built. Their settlement was called Coburn's Corners.

"Other families came in the fall and it became necessary to build a log school house with greased paper for windows and heated with a fireplace. Letitia Faurot was the teacher, the first in the county.

"Arrangements were made to organize a church but on account of sickness this did not materialize until February 27, the following spring, with eleven charter members. Asher Coburn and wife, John H. Coburn and wife, Reo Alton and family, James Hadsell, Mrs. Abel and other names appearing on the membership list. Those early settlers were well educated, they had been teachers in eastern Ohio. John Coburn was a splendid Latin scholar and taught. He was the first Auditor and Recorder of DeKalb County. Alton was a minister and James Hadsell also. Their union of church and school work was above the average pioneers. In the winter the school had a literary society and debated on all the leading problems of the day. A library was furnished and the settlement even had a "newspaper" with all the news of the day, "the same as the Good Evening News of the Reporter." Some of the older and better informed of the inhabitants would write articles on the needs of the county and later the state. The school house proved to be too small to accomodate the audiences and in 1857 they built a very good church, where the Literary society was conducted. There was a singing school and spelling school in which old and young took part.

"This community produced many teachers and pastors later as it grew, and more schools were built. Bank presidents and bank cashiers came from the ranks of these settlers and many well-known and famous men.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thurs., Feb. 22, 1917.

Wilbur Dermott Dies. The accidental death of Wilbur, the eighteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dermott of Coldwater, Mich., Friday evening, came as a great shock to the people of St. Joe and Coburntown, the latter place being his birthplace. Mrs. Dermott and son were at home alone, the father was at Auburn on business.

The story of the accident is all supposition and as no one saw it, can only be based on the circumstantial surroundings. Some rats had made their entrance to the barn where the auto was being kept and he had talked of trying to shoot them, but as the revolver was not in working order he was delayed. Some of his chums had found one similar to his and by remodeling it was made to shoot. Mrs. Dermott did not know that the revolver had been repaired and as he failed to return to the house she began to look for him and discovered that he had shot himself. In taking survey of the conditions it was thought that he had run backward for a distance trying to head the rat off, and he run into the haymow and this of course caused him to throw up his hand and discharge the gun. Some cartridges were found on the floor showing that he had evidently been shooting at the rat.

He was quite young when moving to Michigan and since he had grown to young manhood he had become quite popular in the Y.M.C.A. work at Coldwater and was gaining a statewide reputation along this line. He was president of his group, and for three years in succession was delegate to the state convention. Wilbur was a fine young man and his church relations show him to be a charter member of the Church of Christ at Coldwater.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thurs., June 8, 1944.

J. Evans Dermott, school teacher of Indiana, died at the home of his son, Dio (sic) and wife of Constantine, Mich., May 25, at the age of 92 years. The funeral services were held on May 27 at 2:30 o'clock with burial at Oak Grove Cemetery beside the grave of Mrs. Dermott.

He was born Jan. 29, 1852 at Coburn's Corners, the son of Jacob and Phoebe Coburn Dermott. He was married Feb. 22, 1874 to Mary Cordelia Saylor. He resided on the homestead farm, just north of the church at Coburn's Corners for many years, when he sold out and moved to Coldwater, Mich. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Herbert Abel, Coldwater, and a son, Dio (sic), at whose home he died, 8 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. While living in Coldwater, Mr. Dermott was a member of the Church of Christ.

165. OLIVE C. DERMOTT (Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 AUG 1854 Ind. m. Frank Cunningham.

Children: (Surname CUNNINGHAM)

413. Edith Mary b. 5 JAN 1873 m. - - - - Flickinger.

Edith Cunningham reportedly was raised with the children of her uncle John Evans Dermott.

166. J. MILLER DERMOTT (Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 AUG 1856 Ind. d. 15/18 FEB 1936 Ae 79 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Jacob Dermott and Phoebe Coburn m. 4 OCT 1880 Margaret Melissa Hart b. 1858 d. 10 AUG 1925 bur. Alton Cem., dau. of James Hart and Margaret Bohles.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

+414. Olon b. 17 APR 1885 d. 14 FEB 1956.

This family removed from DeKalb Co., Ind. to Branch Co., Mich. in the early 1900's.

179. FLOYD J. COBURN (Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 5 NOV 1888 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 20 JUL 1981 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Meadow Haven Nursing Home) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Wilmot P. Coburn and Sarah L. Hilterbrand m. 28 APR 1917 DeKalb Co., Ind. Opal Miller b. 20 APR 1889 d. 16 MAR 1976 Ae 86 Butler, Ind. (Meadow Haven Nursing Home) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Newton Miller and Jemima Drage.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

415. Phyllis b./d. 11 MAY 1919 Ae 5 hrs. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

+416. Edwin Merle b. 6 APR 1920.

Floyd enlisted in the U.S. Navy in March, 1909; believed to have served just one term. In occupation, he was a farmer and painter.

181. LAURA MAE COBURN (Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 2 FEB 1894 DeKalb Co., Ind. living 1982 dau. of Wilmot P. Coburn and Sarah L. Hilterbrand m. 12 JUN 1912 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. Wallace C. Willard b. 18 NOV 1891 Hardin Co., Iowa d. 19 MAY 1976 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa bur. Rose Hill Mem. Gardens, Marshalltown, Iowa s. of Elisha A. Willard and Jennie A. Reece.

Children: (Surname WILLARD)

+417. Delphia Arlene b. 13 JUL 1918.

+418. Dwight Floyd b. 24 DEC 1919.

+419. Charlotte Ellender b. 17 DEC 1925.

Early in life, Laura became a member of the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners. She also attended the school at that location until the eleventh grade when she completed in the high school at Spencerville, Ind. She was working in 1911 as a waitress in a hotel dining room at Auburn, Ind. when she met her future husband on a "blind date" arranged by a co-worker. She always maintained an active interest in playing the piano and in activities of the church. After locating in Marshalltown, Iowa she became an active member of the Central Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), teaching Sunday School and serving with various women's groups; in her latter years she became an Honorary Elder of this church.

Wallace C. (Bill) Willard grew to manhood at Hardin County, Iowa and then went to Chicago, Illinois to attend automotive school which enabled him to obtain employment by the Auburn Automobile Co. at Auburn, Ind. in their road testing department. Removing from there in November, 1912 to Hardin Co., Iowa, he became a mechanic at Hardin, in about 1915 at Baxter, Iowa and in 1917 at Marshalltown, Iowa. He also worked as a movie projectionist at the Strand Theater in Marshalltown. In September, 1923, he became employed at Fisher Governor Co. where he remained until his retirement in 1961, having held the position of chief inspector for many years.

182. WALTER HILDEBRAND (HILTERBRAND) COBURN (Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 9 OCT 1896 DeKalb Co., Ind., living 1983 s. of Wilmot P. Coburn and Sarah L. Hilterbrand m. 20 JUL 1922 Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebr. Harriet Audrey VanDeVenter b. 26 AUG 1902 Mound City, Holt Co., Mo. dau. of Edver J. VanDeVenter and Bessie Mae Walters.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+420. Walter VanDeVenter b. 4 MAY 1923.

+421. Edver Wilmot b. 2 FEB 1926.

+422. James Franklin b. 23 FEB 1927.

+423. Francis Marion b. 2 SEP 1928.

424. Audrey JoAnne b. 21 SEP 1933 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. Unm.

Resides Chesterton, Ind. where she has been employed as a teacher and a bowling lane proprietor.

Walter attended the Asher Johnston Bible School at Kimberlin Heights, Tenn. until being inducted into the U. S. Army in the Spring of 1918, being located at Camp Gordon, Ga. until his honorable discharge in December of that year. He then attended Drake University at Des Moines, Iowa and graduated in June, 1922, having already been ordained for the ministry, with the degree Bachelor of Sacred Literature. He also attended Phillips University 1929-1931 and Butler University School of Religion (now Christian Theological Seminary) 1944-1948 earning the degrees Bachelor of Divinity 1947 and M.S. 1948. Prior to his religious training, Walter attended normal school at TriState College, Angola, Ind. and then taught school for three years.

During WWII, he served as a chaplain from April, 1942 to November 1943 when he received a medical discharge. He was stationed at the WAC Training Center at Fort DesMoines and the Army Transportation Service (Rehabilitation) at Fort Lewis, Washington.

Following the time he was ordained in 1922, he served as pastor at many different locations (including a period at the Coburntown church) until 1961 when he became a supply pastor until 1968. After that, he served as co-director with his wife of Mt. Beulah Christian Institute.

Harriet Audrey Coburn also was a graduate of Drake University.

Their 50th wedding anniversary was celebrated 23 JUL 1972. Among the 150 guests present were many representatives from churches where Walter had served as pastor.

183. DELPHIA MARIA COBURN (Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 31 JUL 1899 DeKalb Co., Ind., d. 30 MAR 1935 Kosciusko Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Wilmot P. Coburn and Sarah L. Hilterbrand m. 15 MAY 1918 Hillsdale Co., Mich. Glenn Shaffer b. 1 APR 1889 s. of Frank Shaffer and Clara L. Alwine.

Children: (Surname SHAFFER)

+425. DeLoss Coburn b. 21 JUL 1919.

+426. Laura Bonita b. 17 NOV 1920.

427. Sarah Luella (Sally) b. 24 JUL 1924 Pierceton, Kosciusko Co., Ind.
m/1 Dale Howard m/2 1 NOV 1952 Fort Wayne, Allen Co.,
Ind. and divd. JAN 1962 Roland M. Brockmeyer b. 11 JAN
1928 Fort Wayne, Ind. No Issue of either marriage.
Sally resides at Fort Wayne, Ind.

+428. Margaret b. 12 JUL 1925.

Glenn m/2 Lulu - - - - and m/3 Violet - - - -, both of whom are deceased. No issue of either marriage.

Glenn and Delphia were married in a double wedding ceremony with her school-mate Gladys Watson, dau. of George Watson, and Ray Wasson, s. of Mr. Bert Wasson.

This family resided at various locations in Indiana where Glenn was employed mainly in factory work and for a time operated an oil station; these places included Marion, New Paris, Pierceton, Fort Wayne, and finally Goshen where he now resides.

During WWII, he served in the U. S. Army.

184. KENNETH DEVERE COBURN (Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer) b. 30 JAN 1907 (g.s.) DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 30 NOV 1974 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 9 JAN 1936 by Walter H. Coburn Zola Adair Wolford b. 3 JUL 1916 (g.s.) Dunkirk, Hardin Co., Ohio d. 11 OCT 1976 Ae 60 at the home of son Floyd bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Carl Wolford and Floss Dyeus.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+429. Shirley Elnora b. 25 AUG 1939.

+430. Floyd Carl b. 13 OCT 1944.

The marriage of Kenneth and Zola took place at the home of his father, Wilmot P. Coburn.

He was a farmer in occupation. The residence throughout his lifetime was maintained in DeKalb Co., Ind. where he was more commonly known as "Butch" by his friends.

186. MELVIN DANIEL FAUNCE (Eben C. Faunce, Charlotte, Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 MAR 1866 Bazetta Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 11 DEC 1925 Lakewood, Ohio bur. Christian Church Cem., Cortland, Ohio s. of Eben Coburn Faunce and Roena Amelia Love m/1 and divd. - - - - Holiday m/2 2 MAY 1903 Chicago, Lake Co., Ill. Nellie Gay Mulford b. 13 OCT 1872 Lafayette, Tippecanoe Co., Ind. d. 14 NOV 1946 Lakewood, Ohio.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

431. Martha Roena b. 12 MAR 1904 Chicago, Ill. m. 2 JUL 1926 Roy A. Anderson.
+432. Eben Melvin b. 15 FEB 1911.

Melvin also had a son by his first wife named Royal but who changed his name to Holiday after his parents were divorced.

188. MINTA A. HEADLEY (Orvin Headley, Celia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. JUL 1869 Mich. AD dau. of Orvin Headley and Julia A. Moore m. c.1891 Louis B. Pierson b. JUL 1864 Mich. s. of - - - - Pierson and Harriet S. - - - -.

Children: (Surname PIERSON)

433. Ethel M. b. OCT 1892 Mich.
434. Elnora M. b. FEB 1895 Mich.
435. Eva E. b. NOV 1897 Mich.
436. Letia L. b. AUG 1899 Mich.

Minta was a daughter of Orson Coburn and Ann Headley adopted by her cousin Orvin Headley upon the death of her natural mother.

Enumerated with this family in the 1900 census were his mother, Harriet S. Pierson, and a niece, Daisy B. Pierson; also, Minta's adopted mother Julia A. Headley.

189. JOSEPH WILLIS WALKLEY (Marietta Headley, Celia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. FEB 1866 Mich. s. of Edwin Walkley and Marietta Headley m. poss. c.1895 Agnes - - - - b. AUG 1870 Mich.

Children: (Surname WALKLEY)

437. Winnie (dau.) b. OCT 1897 Mich.
438. Mildred b. FEB 1899 Mich.

197. FRED ALDEN FAUNCE (Calvin P. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 MAR 1863 Greene Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 20 JUL 1930 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. s. of Calvin Philip Faunce and Mary Amelia Tew m. 16 NOV 1891 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio Sarah Electa Adams b. 30 NOV 1866 Warren, Ohio d. 1925 Warren, Ohio dau. of Alonzo H. Adams and Sarah Electa Brockway.

439. Hilda Adams b. 1 MAY 1896 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio d. APR 1953 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio m. 1916 Herbert G. Downs.
+440. Gerald Alden b. 23 NOV 1897.

Fred was a real estate broker, having resided at Warren, Ohio, Columbus, Ohio, Grove City, Penn., and Wyandotte, Mich.

201. JAY MORRIS FAUNCE (Calvin P. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 NOV 1874 Greensburg, Summit Co., Ohio s. of Calvin Philip Faunce and Clara Eugenia Hillyer m. 2 MAR 1904 Billings, Yellowstone Co., Montana Mabel Allen b. Delphi, Carroll Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

441. Wilda Ellen b. 14 MAY 1908 Great Falls, Cascade Co., Mont. m. 29 MAY 1930 Judson G. Husted.

Jay was a telegrapher in occupation. He served in the Spanish American War, Philippine Campaign, 1899-1901.

207. WILLIAM ULYSSES FAUNCE (Daniel M. Faunce, Lucretiz, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 APR 1864 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 22 SEP 1936 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Daniel Myron Faunce and Samantha Lucretia Alton m. 21 MAR 1887 Fremont, Mich. Mary Isabelle Davis b. 23 MAY 1867 Ind. d. 24 DEC 1934 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

442. Faith Evelyn b. 12 DEC 1887 Burt Lake, Mich. m. 26 OCT 1906 Sheldon Cole.

+443. Hope Ethelyn b. 7 AUG 1889 d. 19 APR 1940.

+444. Verald Daniel b. 8 OCT 1894 d. 6 FEB 1959.

445. Izetta R. b. 2 DEC 1896 Burt Lake, Mich. d. Petoskey, Mich. m. 11 SEP 1922 Frank S. Jacobs.

446. Donald Benjamin b. 21 JUN 1903 Burt Lake, Mich. d. 4 JUL 1961 m. 6 JUN 1948 Helen L. - - - -.

+447. Roland Cleo b. 29 AUG 1905.

+448. Lyle Raymond b. 19 OCT 1908.

In occupation, William was a carpenter and store keeper.

209. BENJAMIN ALDEN FAUNCE (Daniel M. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 MAR 1874 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 25 SEP 1941 East Lansing, Calhoun Co., Mich. bur. Evergreen Cem., East Lansing, Mich. s. of Daniel Myron Faunce and Samantha Lucretia Alton m. 20 APR 1898 Edon, Defiance Co., Ohio by Rev. L. O. Newcomer Blanche L. Weldon b. 8 OCT 1872 d. 14 APR 1956 East Lansing, Mich.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

449. Cora b./d. 30 JUN 1899 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

450. Cecila b. 26 APR 1903 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. m. Ralph N. Wright.

451. Norma b. 24 MAR 1909 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. m. Albert Ray Krider, Jr.

Benjamin Alden Faunce was a clerk at Michigan Agriculture College for 18 years, Postmaster at East Lansing for two years; also Mayor and City Clerk of East Lansing.

216. JAMES GARFIELD FAUNCE (William L. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 JUL 1880 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. d. 21 AUG 1933 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. bur. Salt River Cem., Shepherd, Mich. m. SEP 1900 Cora Bell Swix b. 23 JUN 1882 d. 16 DEC 1954 Lansing, Mich., her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 452. William Donald b. 11 JUL 1901 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. d. 20 APR 1919 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. Unm.
- 453. Leah E. b. 13 DEC 1906 (twin) Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. m. 16 AUG 1922 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. Roland Selfridge.
- 454. Laura A. b. 13 DEC 1906 (twin) Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. m. 16 AUG 1922 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. Alton Selfridge.

It is assumed that Leah and Laura married brothers in a double wedding ceremony.

James Garfield Faunce was a farmer and factory worker in occupation.

217. ALDEN JOSEPH FAUNCE (William L. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 DEC 1883 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. s. William Lucius Alden and Agnes Amelia Young m. 14 DEC 1905 Shepherd, Mich. Winona E. Myers, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 455. Alice L. B. 13 APR 1909 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. m. 14 JUL 1940 Clare Wheaton; res. Eaton Rapids, Eaton Co., Mich.
- +456. Lucius Dale b. 17 AUG 1911.
- 457. Helen Winona b. 3 SEP 1915 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. m. 24 AUG 1940 C. Lester Luce; res. Eaton Rapids, Eaton Co., Mich.

Alden Joseph Faunce was a grocer and farmer. The family resided at Harbor Springs, Emmet Co., Mich. after having lived for some years at Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich.

221. LENA BELLE GOIST (Estella C. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 JUN 1880 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 19 MAY 1966 bur. Disciples Cem., Trumbull Co., Ohio dau. of Uriah R. Goist and Estella Celia Faunce m. 3 MAR 1903 Rolla John Foyt b. 10 NOV 1877 Southington, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 12 DEC 1955 Southington, Ohio bur. Disciples Cem., Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of James F. Foyt and Mary Fleich.

Children: (Surname FOYT)

- 458. Uriah Franklin.
- 459. Ella.

460. Dorothy Lucille.
461. Estella.

Rolla John Foyt was a farmer in occupation and apparently resided at Trumbull Co., Ohio his entire lifetime.

222. NELLIE MAE GOIST (Estella C. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 17 OCT 1888 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 9 SEP 1977 Harbor Springs,
Emmet Co., Mich. bur. Greenwood Cem., Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. dau. of
Uriah R. Goist and Estella Celia Faunce m. 3 NOV 1909 Harry A. Smith b. 6
AUG 1882 Petoskey, Mich. d. 10 MAR 1957 Petoskey, Mich. bur. Greenwood Cem.,
Petoskey, Mich. s. of Donald Smith and Rachel - - - -.

Children: (Surname SMITH)

462. Donald.
463. Ashton.
464. Stewart.

Nellie Mae is known to have been a member of the Christian Church but nothing more about this family has been given.

223. GEORGE ALDEN GOIST (Estella C. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 10 NOV 1890 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 10 OCT 1969 Trumbull Co., Ohio
bur. Disciples Cem., Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of Uriah R. Goist and Estella C.
Faunce m. 7 JUN 1921 Trumbull Co., Ohio Alda Mariah Boyd dau. of James Boyd
and Minnie Harshman.

Children: (Surname GOIST)

465. Arlene June b. 1 NOV 1923 Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 9 JAN 1983 Warren,
Trumbull Co., Ohio bur. Disciples Cem., Trumbull Co.,
Ohio m. 25 JUN 1965 John Herbert Moore. No issue.
+466. Kenneth Boyd b. 2 SEP 1929.
467. Clifford Eugene b. 13 DEC 1932 Southington, Trumbull Co., Ohio m.
1 OCT 1960 Martha Jane Dye. No issue.

No further details about this family have been given.

224. WILLIAM EZRA GOIST (Estella C. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 8 NOV 1895 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 8 APR 1961 Wood, Milwaukee Co.,
Wisc. bur. Veterans Cem., Wood, Wisc. s. of Uriah R. Goist and Estella Celia
Faunce m. 13 JUL 1925 Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Mich. Fern Pemberton
b. 5 FEB 1900 Alanson, Emmet Co., Mich. d. 20 AUG 1974 East Jordon, Charle-
voix Co., Mich. bur. Ohioville Cem., Cheboygan Co., Mich. dau. of Joseph Pem-
berton and Violet May Orvis (sp ?).

Children: (Surname GOIST)

468. C. E. (Dan) b. 9 SEP 1927 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. m. 1 SEP 1972
Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio and divd. Florence Eva Burnard.
No issue. His occupation estate settlement sales.

During WWI, William Ezra Goist served in the military, no further details given. In occupation, he was a laborer.

230. ARCHIE CARL DAVIS (Mary C. Alton, Sarah A., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 JUn 1877 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 27 DEC 1943 Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. bur. Oak Grove Cem., Manistee, Mich. s. of Lorenzo Van Buren Davis and Mary Candace Alton m. 20 JAN 1898 Fremont, Mich. Katherine Marie Holm b. 8 JUL 1879 Copenhagen, Denmark d. 4 DEC 1954 Manistee, Mich. bur. Oak Grove Cem., Manistee, Mich. dau. of Frederick Soren Holm and Marie Johansen.

Children: (Surname (DAVIS))

- 469. John (Van) b. 7 JUL 1898 Onekama, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 7 SEP 1899 Ae 18 m.
- 470. Pearl b. 18 JAN 1902 (twin) Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 26 JUL 1968 m/1 Ray Bond m/2 Ray Ferguson. Res. Manistee, Mich.
- 471. Garnet b. 18 JAN 1902 (twin) Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 26 SEP 1967 m. Cash Bond (A cousin Ray m. Garnet's sister).
- +472. Benjamin Richard b. 4 NOV 1903 d. 24 FEB 1939.
- 473. Ella Mae b. 16 APR 1914 Lomax, Henderson Co., Ill. m. Gordon Bauman; res. Manistee, Mich.

No further details about this family have been given.

235. ROY S. COBURN (Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 29 AUG 1884 Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 2 MAY 1967 Ae 82 Newaygo, Mich. (Newaygo Medical Care Facility) bur. Sherman Twp., Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Franklin W. Coburn and Flora E. Davis m/1 prob. c.1910 Clara Belle Turner b. 17 JUN 1888 Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 3 MAY 1965 Ae 75 Newaygo Co., Mich. (Gerber Mem. Hosp.) bur. Sherman Twp. Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Henry O. Turner and Alsina M. Osborn.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 474. Bonnie Edith b. 7 FEB 1912 Newaygo Co., Mich. m. - - - Splitstone. Reportedly had son Gary. Res. 1967 Fremont, Mich.
- +475. Florence (Flora) Alsina b. 30 MAY 1913 Newaygo Co., Mich. m. Lawrence Reed. Res. 1967 Fremont, Mich.
- +476. Laura Ellena b. 3 JUL 1915 Newaygo Co., Mich. m. John H. Hall. Res. 1967 Grant, Mich.
- +477. Maylon LeRoy b. 9 AUG 1917 Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 478. Franklin Henry b. 18 SEP 1918 Wooster, Newaygo Co., Mich. m. 4 MAR 1949 Louise Smith dau. of William D. Smith and Florence Page. Had dau. Danette b. 1960 d. 1964 (leukemia) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. Franklin was a railroad employe (now retired). He saw military service in WWII. He was commonly known as "Frank."
- +479. Ethel b. 20 JUN 1920.
- 480. Richard Eliot Turner b. c.DEC 1921 d. 14 JUL 1932 Ae 10y 7m 7d Garfield Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. (colon drowning) His death record states his mother was Hazel Turner, the sister of his mother Clara Belle (Turner).

+481. Lyle b. 2 JUN 1923.

Roy S. Coburn m/2 Hazel Turner, sister of his first wife, b. 17 OCT 1901 dau. of Henry O. Turner and Alsina Osborn. Details of a divorce and the date of his second marriage are unknown. Hazel believed living 1984.

Children: (Surname COBURN) chronological order not ascertained.

+482. Rose m. Bedford Grondin and reportedly had son James. Res. 1967 at St. Ignace, Mich.

483. Katherine (or Catherine) ; perhaps unm. Res. 1967 at Brimley, Mich. and later Canada. She was b. 1937/38.

+484. Ralph b. Doris Rushford and reportedly had dau. Carla b. 11 JAN 1960. Res. 1967 at Racine, Wisc.

+485. Max m. Anita Lepensky. Res. 1967 at Willis, Mich.

In occupation, Roy S. Coburn was a blacksmith and welder on highway construction.

236. EDITH PEARL COBURN (Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 15 OCT 1886 d. 12 SEP 1976 (one source says 1974) Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Franklin W. Coburn and Flora E. Davis m. poss. c.1907 Orrin M. Trimble at Newaygo Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname TRIMBLE)

+486. Meredith F. b. 19 APR 1908.

487. Clayton W. b. 6 JAN 1910.

Orrin Trimble was the owner of a construction company that failed, after which he left town and nothing further is known of him.

Edith, or Pearl as she preferred to be known, m/2 - - - - Town and in 1967 was residing at White Cloud, Newaygo Co., Mich.

238. MAUDE M. COBURN (Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 26 DEC 1892 d. 16 APR 1918 dau. of Franklin W. Coburn and Flora E. Davis m/1 prob. c.1913 Frederick N. Wolfe b. 20 AUG 1881 d. 20 SEP 1963.

Children: (Surname WOLFE)

+488. Violet A. b. 20 OCT 1914.

Maude m/2 Charles Schmieding and m/3 Henry Towne but no further details are known.

246. CHARLES FRED COBURN (Charles F., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 4 JUL 1895 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. JAN 1971 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. Ae 75 (Blodgett Mem. Hosp.) (cancer) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Charles F. Coburn and Matilda A. Peckham m. 15 OCT 1913 (g.s.) Bertha E. Brott b. 1895 (g.s.) dau. of Washington Brott and Laura Colby.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

489. Geraldine b. 19 APR 1914 m. 14 MAY 1935 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich.
Delbert H. Weller b. c.1914 s. of Chauncey Weller and
Myrtle Waddell. His occupation at marriage was drug
clerk. Residing 1971 at Morgantown, N.C.
- +490. Frederick Alexander b. 9 JUL 1915.
- +491. Donald Ray b. 27 SEP 1918.
492. Marian L. b. 18 SEP 1920 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. d. AUG 1975
m. 30 MAY 1940 Grand Rapids, Mich. William Lynch b. c.
1919 s. of Clayton J. Lynch and Nina Moss. His occupa-
tion was draftsman at time of marriage.. Residing in
1971 at Grand Rapids, Mich.
493. Inf. son b./d. 19 JAN 1928 (stillborn).

Charles Fred Coburn owned a barber shop in Grand Rapids for 52 years and also operated Coburn's Resort on Long Lake in Newaygo Co., Mich which he owned for 47 years.

253. JAMES H. COBURN (Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 28 NOV 1893
(g.s.) Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 2 SEP 1964 Ae 70 White Cloud, Mich.
(heart attack) bur with military services at Sherman Twp. Cem., Newaygo Co.,
Mich. s. of Ella Samuel Coburn and Effie L. Callender m. 5 NOV 1919 White
Cloud, Mich. Leafie Miller b. 28 MAY 1898 Hattiesburg, Forrest Co., Miss. d.
JUL 1971 bur. Sherman Twp., Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Eliah Miller and
Lydia - - - -.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +494. Margurite Zanona b. 7 JAN 1921.
- +495. Merrick E. b. 11 APR 1922 d. 19 NOV 1980.

James H. Coburn was a farmer in occupation.

During WWI, he served 18 months with the U.S. Army Engineers in France, after-
ward becoming a member of the D.A.V. Post 48 in Fremont, Mich.

255. AGNES VIOLA COBURN (Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 16 JAN 1896
Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 6 AUG 1940 bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont,
Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Ella S. Coburn and Effie L. Callender m. prob. c.
1912 at White Cloud, Newaygo Co., Mich. Bert Stevens b. 19 OCT 1890 White Cloud,
Mich. s. of Frank Stevens and Molly Smith.

Children: (Surname STEVENS)

- +496. Alfred b. 15 JUN 1913 d. 3 MAR 1970.
- +497. Donald b. 26 OCT 1915 d. APR 1966.
- +498. Lyman b. 10 AUG 1917.
- +499. Alberta b. 11 JUL 1932.
- +500. Effie Jean b. 30 OCT 1936.

256. RACHEL ZANONA COBURN (Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 18 JAN 1900 dau. of Ella S. Coburn and Effie L. Callender m. 24 JUN 1922 Frank Pike b. 1888 d. 14 MAY 1967 s. of Frances M. Pike and Louise Purcell.

Children: (Surname PIKE)

- +501. Nadine Louise b. 15 SEP 1923.
- +502. Leonora Pauline b. 31 OCT 1924.
- +503. Elsie Eloise b. 10 FEB 1932.

259. CLYDE C. COBURN (Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 26 NOV 1909 Wooster, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 18 APR 1974 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. bur. Sunrise Mem. Gardens, Muskegon, Mich. s. of Ella S. Coburn and Effie L. Callender m. 23 FEB 1932 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. Henrietta Ridderman b. 30 APR 1914 Fremont, Mich. d. 30 AUG 1974 Muskegon, Mich. bur. Sunrise Mem. Gardens, Muskegon, Mich. dau. of Henry Ridderman and Helen Vennegetts.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +504. Helen Mae b. 1 MAR 1932.
- +505. Willard Clark b. 5 AUG 1933.
- +506. Patricia Ann b. 24 SEP 1935.
- +507. James Lee b. 9 NOV 1940.
- +508. Cheryl Lynn b. 28 APR 1946.
- +509. Samuel Ell b. 18 JUL 1948.

Clyde Coburn served for a time in the U. S. Coast Guard service.

265. ALICE D. SHAFER (Susan A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 MAY 1876 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 11 NOV 1912 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 20 FEB 1897 Newton J. (Newt) Perry b. 1872 Ind. d. 25 JAN 1955 Ae 82y DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Curtis Perry and Rachel Jane Headley.

Children: (Surname PERRY)

- +510. Bernice Mildred b. 2 OCT 1897 d. 8 JUL 1934.
- +511. Virgil C. b. 29 JUN 1901 d. 15 OCT 1954.
- +512. Wilbur R. b. 19 MAR 1905 d. 23 MAY 1976.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Nov. 21, 1912.

Alice (Shafer) Perry, daughter of Jacob and Amanda Shafer, was born near Coburn's Corners, DeKalb Co., Ind., May 12, 1876, and was called higher Nov. 11, 1912, aged 36 years, 5 months and 30 days. Deceased was united in marriage to Newton Perry, Feb. 20, 1897. To this union were born three children, a girl and two boys -- Bernice, aged 15 years; Virgil, 11; Wilburn, 7. Of Mrs. Perry's immediate relatives, her father and a brother awaited her in the better land. Her mother, her devoted husband, their three children and a host of other relatives and friends mourn her early departure. Mrs. Perry made the noble profession and united with the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners in March, 1887.

266. LEONA BELLE WILMOT (Florence D., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 JUL 1876 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 27 JAN 1961 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 2 OCT 1897 DeKalb Co., Ind. Claude E. Mason b. 28 JAN 1874 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Joseph Mason and Viola Tiffany.

Children: (Surname MASON)

+513. (AD) Vivian b. 24 JUL 1913.

514. Jack d. before his father.

The adopted daughter, Vivian, was the child of Leona's sister, Zelma Wilmot, and her husband James Wesley Kimes.

Claude Mason often was called "Clyde" in local newspaper items, believed to have been done in error rather than this being a nickname.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Oct. 24, 1946.

Claude Edward Mason, son of Joseph and Viola Mason, was born January 28, 1874, at Newville Center. He was married to Miss Leona Belle Wilmot, October 2, 1897, and died October 16, 1946, at the age of 72 years, 8 months and 18 days. Mr. Mason was a lifelong resident of DeKalb County, and for the greater part of his life a farmer. Mr. Mason was living in St. Joe at the time of his death and held the position of street commissioner here.

Mr. Mason was a Deacon in the St. Joe Church of Christ, having been born into Christ through Christian Baptism in 1918. He held the office of Deacon for over 20 years. Surviving are the widow, Leona Belle Mason; a daughter, Mrs. Vivian Murphy, of Hicksville, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Baxter, of Butler, and Mrs. Pearl Williams, St. Joe; and seven grandchildren.

267. EDNA S. WILMOT (Florence D., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 OCT 1877 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Ella Wilmot and Florence D. Coburn m. 2 MAY 1897/98 DeKalb Co., Ind. Ernest Leroy Jenkins b. 28 APR 1867 nr. Concord, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1 JAN 1938 Ae 70 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Charles Jenkins and Lorinda Johnson.

Children: (Surname JENKINS)

+515. Harold J. b. 18/21 FEB 1898.

516. Gale b. 21 SEP 1899 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 21 MAR 1900 Aely 6m 1d DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind.

517. Ortha b. 6 JUN 1901 d. 24 JAN 1903.

+518. Kenneth b. 7 JUN 1903 d. 19 MAY 1926.

519. Chas. E. (or B.) b. 28 APR 1905 d. 30 DEC 1924 Ae 20 DeKalb Co., Ind.

+520. Merrill W. b. 29 SEP 1907 d. 1943.

+521. Florence b. 8 MAR 1911 d. 26 DEC 1941.

+522. Frances H. b. 2 OCT 1913.

Ernest was a barber in occupation.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thurs., Jan. 6, 1938.

Ernest Leroy Jenkins, born April 28, 1867, near Concord, DeKalb Co., Indiana, the first son of Charles A. and Lucinda Jenkins, both deceased, departed this life Saturday, January 1, 1938, at the age of 70 years, 8 months and 3 days.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Thomas, and two sisters, Clara and Bessie, and is survived by one sister, Aletha Kinsey, of St. Joe, and three brothers, George F. Jenkins of Spencerville, and Harry J. and Fred E. Jenkins of Fort Wayne, Ind.

He was united in marriage to Edna Wilmot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ella Wilmot, May 2, 1898, to which were born eight children, four having preceded him in death. Harold, of Cleveland, Ohio, Merrill, of Fort Wayne, Ind., Mrs. Florence Casselman, of St. Joe and Frances Barnthouse, of Detroit, Mich., still survive, together with six grandchildren.

He was united with the Church of Christ in Auburn twelve years ago and changed his membership to the Church of Christ at St. Joe soon after and was a member at that church until death.

268. ZELMA DELINA WILMOT (Florence D., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 MAR 1879 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 13 AUG 1913 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. (Bronson Hosp.) bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. dau. of Ella Wilmot and Florence D. Coburn m. 15 SEP 1901 DeKalb Co., Ind. as his 2nd wife James Wesley Kimes b. AUG 1867 Ind. d. 1954 bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. s. of George W. Kimes and Mariah Emaley - - - -.

Children: (Surname KIMES)

- +523. Hilda b. 2 JUN 1902.
- +524. Emily b. 26 MAR 1904.
- +525. Mary b. 31 AUG 1906.
- +526. Edward b. 28 MAY 1909.

An additional daughter, Vivian, b. 24 JUL 1913 immediately preceding her mother's death was adopted by Zelma's sister, Vivian (Wilmot) Mason.
(see #513 in this volume.)

James Wesley Kimes m/1 Ida - - - - b. 1869 d. 1898 Ae 29y 11m. Their children:
Stella Mae b. 1890 d. 1905 (black diptheria) bur. White City Cem.,
Spencerville, Ind.
Dolphy b. JUN 1892, living 1926.
Pearl b. APR 1896 d. 24 DEC 1926 Ae 28 m. prob. c.1918 Marion Keller,
three children surviving the mother.

James Wesley, or Wesley as he was commonly known, followed the occupations of farmer and tile manufacturer.

The family removed in March, 1907 to Branch Co., Mich. (Sherwood) and then in 1909 to a farm at Holton, Muskegon Co., Mich. By early 1911 they were at Kalamazoo, Mich. and after Zelma's death Wesley reportedly moved west.

269. WILLIAM HAYDEN WILMOT (Florence D., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 JUL 1880 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 25 FEB 1907 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. Ae 26y 7m 21d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ella Wilmot and Florence D. Coburn m. 22 OCT 1902 Isabella J. (Belle) Meskill b. 1875 d. 1 DEC 1960 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

+527. Rose b. 8 AUG 1903.

+528. Elva b. 30 JAN 1905 d. 20 FEB 1966.

270. GEORGE GARFIELD WILMOT (Florence D., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 JAN 1882 d. 8 MAR 1974 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ella Wilmot and Florence D. Coburn m. 14 DEC 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. Opal Wilma Poper b. 31 DEC 1891 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of H. David Poper.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

+529. Carlton Ray b. 21 NOV 1913.

+530. Keith Laverie b. 19 MAY 1916.

+531. Iris Winona b. 20 MAR 1920.

+532. Harold David b. 26 AUG 1926.

533. Leora Belle b. 29 SEP 1927 m. 21 NOV 1947 LaMar Light.

272. MARY L. WILMOT (Florence D., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 NOV 1888 Ind. dau. of Ella Wilmot and Florence D. Coburn m. 14 SEP 1915 Fred A. Donley b. 24 JAN 1893 Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio d. 10 JUN 1945 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname DONLEY)

534. Lawrence Albert (stillborn).

535. Wayne H. D. b. 11 MAY 1918 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 5 SEP 1948 Bernice Phillips. No issue. Res. Coldwater, Mich.

+536. Mary Pauline b. 16 APR 1920.

+537. Florence Ruth b. 13 MAR 1922.

+538. Zelma Mae b. 12 SEP 1923.

Fred Donley was a barber in occupation while Mary was a beautician by profession.

Apparently Fred and Mary became separated based upon an item appearing in the St. Joe News on Thurs., Sep. 21, 1933 reporting a charge in DeKalb Co., circuit court referring to the payment of child support. However, judging from information in his obituary, they must have reconciled.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., July 5, 1945.

Fred Donley, of Coldwater, Michigan, was found dead on the kitchen floor at his home on Sunday evening, June 10th, around 7:30 o'clock, by his wife upon her return from her beauty shop. Mr. Donley, who had suffered for many years from a

weakened heart, had been in his usual condition with no warning that the end was so close at hand. Mrs. Donley had been at her place of business through the afternoon. Mr. Donley telephoned and asked her when she would be home, saying that he would have some coffee ready for her. Shortly after the telephone conversation Mrs. Donley entered the rear door and found her husband on the floor.

Mr. Donley was born January 24, 1893 in Defiance, Ohio, going to Coldwater fifteen years ago and engaged in business as a barber. He had retired, however, and much of his time was spent in looking after his fruit and vegetable farm near Coldwater. Mrs. Marie Donley, his widow, four children, Wayne H. of Coldwater, Mrs. Frank Porter, of Jonesville, Mrs. James Wilks, of St. Joe, and Mrs. Kenneth Butler, of Ft. Wayne, a sister, Mrs. Eva Plummer, of Ligonier, Ind., Three brothers, Homer, of Pleasant Lake, Elmer, Ft. Wayne and Charles, of Niles, Mich., survive him. He was a barber in St. Joe several years ago.

273. RUBY ESTELLA COBURN (Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 JAN 1881 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. JUN 1963 California dau. of Calvin L. Coburn and Alice L. Weirs m. 11 OCT 1900 Defiance Co., Ohio by Rev. Grant W. Speer Henry Edward Loomis b. 14 APR 1874 Seneca Co., Ohio d. JUL 1947 bur. Farmer, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of George Loomis and Susan Beery.

Children: (Surname LOOMIS)

- +539. Lucille b. 19 MAR 1901 d. OCT 1980.
- +540. Lulu Mae b. 1903.
- +541. Alma Lorraine b. 1 JAN 1906.

At the time of marriage, Henry Edward (commonly known as Ed) gave his occupation as a saddler.

Residing initially at Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio, this family later relocated to Fostoria, Seneca Co., Ohio, living at this place as early as 1921.

274. EARL LEROY COBURN (Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 27 NOV 1882 d. 22 DEC 1951 Ae 69 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Calvin L. Coburn and Alice L. Weirs m. 9 AUG 1903 DeKalb Co., Ind. Jessie Freeburn b. 18/20 AUG 1885 Hometown, Allen Co., Ind. d. 13 APR 1921 Allen Co., Ind. (Irene Byron Tubercular Hosp.) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Charles W. Freeburn and Ida Belle McMullen.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +542. Agatha b. 4 NOV 1903.
- 543. Wilber (Ching) b. 12 FEB 1906 d. 5 DEC 1960 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. Unm. Served in the military during WWII. He was employed by the Wabash RR on a bridge gang; was injured on the job and never worked afterwards.

544. Viola B. 17 DEC 1907 d. 1981 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. and divd. Max Dressel. No issue.
 +545. Victor Glen (John) b. 19 JUN 1910 d. 18 JUN 1977.
 +546 Robert Blaine (Mutt) b. 29 JUL 1911.
 +547. Orville Ray (Babe) b. 16 APR 1916.
 548. Claire DY.

It is believed that there was one additional child whose information has not been given but must surely have DY.

The stated nicknames of the sons were given them by their father in early childhood and never relinquished.

The family resided early at Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio and then relocated to Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. on a farm and finally, about 1920, to St. Joe, Ind.

Death Notice: St. Joe News; Thurs., Apr. 14, 1921.

Mrs. Earl Coburn Dies. News reached the Earl Coburn home here early Wednesday morning, of the death of the mother, Mrs. Jessie (Freeburn) Coburn, at the Irene Byron Tubercular Hospital in Allen County, where she had been taken a few weeks ago. Mrs. Coburn is the mother of 6 children, all of whom are at home with the father in St. Joe.

Mrs. Coburn was 37 years of age. She had been in poor health for the past 18 months, so that she was hardly able to care for her home. Only about 3 months ago she became so weak that she could no longer perform the household duties, and this fell upon the daughter Gatha, who carried on her school work at the same time.

275. DELPHIA I. COBURN (Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 MAR 1885 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 22 NOV 1975 nr. Edgerton, Williams Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Calvin L. Coburn and Alice L. Weirs m. 27 OCT 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Fred A. Thomas Stearl Earl Wade b. 25 APR 1886 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 JUN 1947 (1935 g.s.) Milford Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of George W. Wade and Sarah Jane Koch.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +549. Gearold Calvin b. 30 DEC 1911 d. 26 JAN 1974.
 550. Leone b. c.1913 m/1 and divd. Lewis Depew m/2 Audley Bill who deceased m/3 Dale Bill (deceased) bro. of her second husband. No issue. Res. Jonesville, Mich.
 +551. Irene Helen b. 30 JUL 1920.
 552. Robert L. b. 21 MAR 1922 d. 30 DEC 1944 (WWII) in military service in Phillipine Islands bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
 +553. Donald Harry b. 26 NOV 1925.

Stearl Wade was a farmer in occupation, residing near Edgerton, Ohio.

Stearl Wade m/1 and divd. Hattie Blau (Blonde) Wise. Born to them was one child, Beva Zuell Wade, b. 1 NOV 1910 d. 15 FEB 1911. Hattie m/2 Orla Woodring.

281. BESSIE MYRTLE ABEL (Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 SEP 1879 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 MAY 1974 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Wallace E. Abel and Louisa A. Coburn m. 3 MAR 1900 DeKalb Co., Ind. Charles Jasper Lake b. 11 MAR 1878 d. 25 DEC 1945 s. of Lucius Nelson Lake and Margaret Edith Tyndall.

Children: (Surname LAKE)

+554. Walter Leroy b. 19 JUN 1902.

+555. Glen Ivan b. 16 APR 1908.

This family resided at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. all their married life. In occupation, Charlie, as he was popularly known, was employed by the Pennsylvania RR as a locomotive engineer.

282. BLANCHE GERTRUDE ABEL (Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 MAR 1882 d. 13 DEC 1963 dau. of Wallace E. Abel and Louisa A. Coburn m. 25 APR 1903 DeKalb Co., Ind. Samuel Leroy Tomlinson b. 7 MAR 1882 d. 5 JAN 1956 s. of James Tomlinson and Theresa Jane Blaker.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

556. Harold b. 22 AUG 1905 d. 14 MAR 1906.

+557. Kenneth Vance b. 14 APR 1907.

+558. Keith Charles b. 8 MAY 1911.

+559. Ronald Leroy b. 20 SEP 1913.

+560. Robert Lynn b. 29 DEC 1919 d. 2 SEP 1978.

+561. Lois Jean b. 29 JUL 1927.

283. GLADYS CLARE ABEL (Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 JUL 1895 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. living 1984 Garrett, Ind. dau. of Wallace E. Abel and Louisa A. Coburn m. 12 NOV 1916 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. (at her parents' home) William Dale McNabb b. 9 AUG 1892 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 MAR 1952 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Evergreen Cem., Newville, Ind. s. of Robert William McNabb and Estella Bell May.

Children: (Surname McNABB)

+562. Harold Wayne b. 29 JUL 1917.

William Dale McNabb, commonly known as Dale, saw military service during WWI. In occupation, he engaged in radio sales and service at Garrett, Ind. where the family home was maintained.

285. MARY COBURN (Ezra L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. c.1905 (deceased) m. Oliver Reller (predeceased his wife). Mary was the dau. of Ezra L. Coburn and Mary Lawton.

Children: (Surname RELLER)

- 563. Mary Virginia m. - - - - Wibbing.
- 564. Jean m. - - - - Gorham
- 565. Bud.
- 566. Susan m. Lawrence Brennen.

Unable to get descendants to communicate.

The Reller family resided at St. Louis, Mo. where the children now make their homes.

286. WILLIAM HENRY COBURN (Ezra L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. c.1907 St. Louis, Mo. d. 17 NOV 1980 Ae 73 Richmond Heights (St. Louis), Mo. (St. Mary's Health Center of heart disease) bur. Calvary Cem., St. Louis, Mo. m. Suzanne A. Hager. His parents were Ezra L. Coburn and Mary Lawton.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

(may be out of order in the absence of dates)

- +567. Patricia Ann.
- +568. Cynthia Jane b. 15 JUL 1941.
- +569. Mary Elizabeth.
- +570. Suzanne.
- +571. William Henry Jr. b. 25 JUN 1947.
- 572. James Michael.
- 573. John Edward.
- 574. Richard Hager.
- 575. Catherine Mary.

William Henry Coburn attended St. Louis University, grad degree in Accounting. He was employed 36 years by Scullin Steel Co. of St. Louis, Mo. as accountant and comptroller, retiring in 1973.

Members of this family attended St Mary Magdalen Catholic Church in St. Louis.

287. VICTOR ROSS WADE (M. Cordelia, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 DEC 1883 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1 MAR 1951 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich., bur. St. Francis Xavier Cem., Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. s. of Ephraim N. Wade and M. Cordelia Coburn m. c.1907 Florence Donavan b. 11 DEC 1884 NY d. 6 JUN 1959 Flint, Mich. bur. St. Francis Xavier Cem. dau. of Daniel Donavan and Margaret Grandy.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- 576. Margaret b. c.1908 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. d. Ae 1m (pneumonia).
- 577. Esther b. 28 AUG 1909 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. d. 23 JUL 1926
Manitowoc, Manitowoc Co., Wisc.
- +578. Vincent Rexford b. 23 DEC 1914.
- +579. Cyril Joseph b. 17 SEP 1917.

Victor Ross Wade was employed as a telegraph operator by the Western Union Co. Florence was a registered nurse in occupation besides the duties of a wife and mother.

288. STELLA MAUD WADE (M. Cordelia, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 OCT 1887 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 18 JUL 1955 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. dau. of Ephraim N. Wade and M. Cordelia Coburn m. prob. c.1910 Rexford A. Ferguson b. 24 AUG 1884 d. 6 MAY 1972 Kalamazoo, Mich. (reportedly of Indian extraction), both bur. Riverside Cem., Kalamazoo.

Children: (Surname FERGUSON)

- +580. Victor Rexford b. 3 DEC 1911.
- +581. Maxine Lillian b. 21 JUN 1915.

Rexford Ferguson was a railroader in occupation.

289. DONALD CLARE (DON) WADE (M. Cordelia, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 JUN 1904 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. s. of Ephraim N. Wade and M. Cordelia Coburn m. 15 AUG 1926 Dowagiac, Cass Co., Mich. Marion Adeline Phetteplace b. 16 JUL 1904 Petoskey, Mich. dau. of Marion F. Phetteplace and Maude Robinson.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +582. Robert Carl b. 26 APR 1933.
- +583. Warren Lee b. 28 NOV 1937.
- +584. Carol Marion b. 16 APR 1941.
- +585. Marilyn Doris b. 7 JUN 1943.

Don Wade, as he prefers to be known, attended Western Michigan Univ. 1923-1926 and 1928-1930 where he obtained his Life Certificate in Teaching and an AB degree. After two years at Martin, Mich. as a teacher and high school principal, he went to Dearborn, Mich where he served as science and mathematics teacher of Junior High Schools 1930-1952; then 1952-1954 audio-visual coordinator for all Dearborn schools; 1954-1960 asst. principal O. L. Smith Jr. H.S., then principal at this school until his retirement in 1964.

Marion also attended Western Michigan Univ. 1922-1924 (Life Certificate in Teaching) and 1926-1931 BS degree and part-time university office employee. She was a commercial subjects teacher at Dundee, Mich. 1924-1926.

Don and Marion res. Inkster, Michigan where they are members of the Baptist church. In retirement, they have enjoyed many group tours; also a summer home near Petoskey, Mich. has given them much pleasure throughout their married life.

290. LLOYD LEROY COBURN (Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 14 APR 1896 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 15 JUN 1979 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (hospital) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha

M. Wade m. 9 SEP 1916 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio Mayme Lucia Burlingame
b. 13 NOV 1894 Delavan, Tazewell Co., Ill. living 1984 dau. of Jesse H. Burlingame and Emma Stubbs.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+586. Lloyd Paul b. 3 AUG 1919 d. 10 JUN 1969.

Lloyd Coburn was employed by the B & O RR as an accounting clerk, first in the office at Garrett, Ind. and then at Akron, Ohio until his retirement. His latter years were spent at Hicksville, Ohio where he and Mayme were near relatives and also the scene of youthful years.

291. AUDREY EUNICE COBURN (Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 18 APR 1898 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. living 1984 d. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m. 20 JUN 1920 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio by D. L. Dunkleberger, Christian Church min. Fay Arthur Wilmot b. 1 JUN 1897 St. Joe, Ind. living 1984 s. of Arthur Wilmot and Josephine E. Allen.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

+587. (AD) Jack Wade b. 22 MAR 1938.

Fay Wilmot served during WWI in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in Europe.

He worked at the machinist trade all his adult life, having been employed by S. F. Boswer Co. and International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind. and also for some years was partner in an independent machine shop at this location.

After retirement, Fay and Audrey removed to a location very near the Coburn's Corners church and then about 1982 to a retirement home at Auburn, Ind. Both are lifelong members of the Church of Christ and the Christian Church.

292. ESTEL LEE COBURN (Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 12 OCT 1899 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 APR 1980 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio (emphysema) bur. Greenwood Cem., Willard, Ohio s. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m/1 2 NOV 1921 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. Thelma G. Kiracofe b. 8 JAN 1900 Paulding, Paulding Co., Ohio d. 5 OCT 1967 Bradenton, Manatee Co., Fla. bur. Greenwood Cem., Willard, Ohio dau. of John J. Kiracofe and Fanny Belle Maper.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+588. Martha Ann b. 23 AUG 1922.

+589. Barbara Mae b. 25 MAR 1924.

+590. William Riley III b. 28 NOV 1926.

591. Joseph Lee b. 7 NOV 1928 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 12 JUL 1977 Calif. (freeway auto accident) - see obit.

Estel Coburn m/2 24 JAN 1970 Frances Cleona Bixler who survived him, now res. at Willard, Ohio. She had m/1 - - - - Frost and had dau. Frances; poss. others.

He was employed by the B & O RR as a station agent first at Hicksville, Ohio and later at Willard, Ohio. After retirement, he removed to Bradenton, Fla. where he remained until just before his death; arrangements having been made to return to Willard, Ohio to be near some of his children. Death occurred within days after reaching Willard.

Obituary: Willard, Ohio newspaper.

Joseph Lee Coburn born November 7, 1928, died July 12, 1977. Memorial services will be held for Joseph L. Coburn at the First Methodist Church with Rev. Mustard officiating, Saturday, August 20, 1977 at 1 P.M. The Fink-Lindsey Funeral Directors will be in charge. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery. His body was cremated in California.

Joe was born in DeKalb County, Indiana, moving to Willard, Ohio with his family in April 1934 and went to school all twelve years here, graduating in 1946. He was a member of the Church of Christ, Coburn Corners, Indiana since 1944. He joined the Army and served several years and was then recalled from the Reserve and served some more time and was discharged from the armed services in California, making his home there since then. Joe sang with the 6th Army quartet in the Western States area, with the Encores in Billy May's band, with Ray Anthony's band and a short time with Duke Ellington. He graduated Magna Cum Laud from Los Angeles State College in 1958. Taught two years in Glendale, California, two years in Germany and fifteen years in Escondido, California.

293. PAULINE EDITH COBURN (Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 27 AUG 1904 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 15 AUG 1959 Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Forest Park Cem., Hicksville, Ohio dau. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m. 14 JUL 1923 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. Paul Elias Miller b. 4 NOV 1906 Grover Hill, Paulding Co., Ohio d. 30 SEP 1975 Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Forest Park Cem., Hicksville, Ohio s. of Jesse Emmett Miller and Eva Lizetta Crall.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

+592. Douglas Jack b. 27 JUL 1927.

+593. Patricia Ellen b. 30 JUL 1929.

Pauline and Paul were active members of the Church of Christ. In occupation he was a dairyman and hog producer.

Paul m/2 29 DEC 1960 Vera Berenyi b. 26 APR 1916 living 1977 dau. of Gabor Berenyi and Elizabeth Burger. No issue of this marriage.

295. GEORGIA MAE COBURN (Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 17 FEB 1910 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 6 NOV 1979 Bradenton, Manatee Co., Florida (at the home of her brother Estel Coburn) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m. 6 OCT 1928 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. Norval Withrow b. 15 DEC 1904 Hoytville, Wood Co., Ohio d. 10 JAN 1976 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (hospital) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Delmar S. Withrow and Anna Rae Snook.

Children: (Surname WITHROW)

+594. Norval Eugene b. 20 MAY 1930.

+595. Carolyn Sue b. 30 MAY 1934.

Norval Withrow was a city mail carrier at Garrett, Ind. which was the family's place of residence until his retirement, after which they lived on a lake property in Lagrange Co., Ind. until his death. Georgia suffered with arthritis and cataracts in her latter years and had gone to Florida for eye surgery at the time of her death there.

296. HAZEL MAY PERRY (Nellie L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 OCT 1891 d. 13 JUL 1981 Lutheran Home, Kendallville, Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Alva D. Perry and Nellie L. Coburn m/1 11 NOV 1909 Ray DeForrest Herrick b. 2 DEC 1888 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1946 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of Orange H. Herrick and Ida Mary Moffett.

Children: (Surname HERRICK)

596. Russell B. b. 26 JUL 1914 DeKalb Co., Ind. m/1 - - - - (deceased) m/2 - - - -. No issue of either marriage. Res. Lake George nr. Angola, Ind.

597. Clayton L. b. 27 AUG 1916 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. - - - -. No issue. Res. Fort Wayne, Ind.

598. Lawrence Paul b. 18 MAY 1920 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. - - - - and reportedly two children. Res. Sarasota, Fla.

599. Bessie m. - - - - Adamson.

Hazel m/2 as his 2nd wife Edward Miser. He had m/1 1 APR 1905 Rebecca May Showers dau. of Wesley Showers and Christina Cullers; their children: (Surname MISER)

Wesley b. 20 APR 1907.

Martha C. b. 19 FEB 1908.

Frank b. 25 JAN 1911.

298. RUTH LYNETTE PERRY (Nellie L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JUN 1897 living 1984 m/1 c.MAY 1918 and divd. Richard Clark.

Children: (Surname CLARK)

Nellie Pauline b. c.1919

Ruth m/2 3 APR 1922 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. Kenneth Busz b. 15 SEP 1901 Albion, Ind. d. 10 FEB 1971 Calif. bur Christian Union Cem. s. of John Busz and Sarah Gatwood. Ruth is the dau. of Alva D. Perry and Nellie L. Coburn.

Children: (Surname BUSZ)

+600. (AD) Nellie Pauline b. 1919 d. 18 AUG 1944.

+601. May Elaine b. 7 NOV 1924.

+602. Eulalee b. 8 SEP 1928.



Pauline E. Coburn (#293) w/
husb. Paul E. Miller and ch.
Jack & Patricia



Mary Lawton, w. of
Ezra L. Coburn (#92)



Audrey E. Coburn (#291)
& husb. Fay A. Wilmot



Georgia M. Coburn (#295)
& husb. Norval Withrow

Kenneth T. Busz was employed by the B & O RR as a brakeman, retiring 16 SEP 1965. The family residence was located 1½ miles north of Garrett, Ind. Cause of his death was attributed to complications from emphysema.

304. GLENN D. COBURN (Benjamin B., E. Orson, Gurden, Ebenezer) b. 17 JAN 1891 Mich. d. 23 FEB 1951 Ae 59 Muskegon Heights, Mich. (carcinoma of testicle) bur. Seaman Cem., Muskegon Co., Mich. s. of Benjamin B. Coburn and Sarah Louise Hull m. prob. c.1915 Grace Hoaglin.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

603. Thelma E. d. 25 JUN 1916 (stillborn) Muskegon Heights, Mich.

poss. others.

319. ESTHER GALLEY (Pluma, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1898 d. 1978 bur. Christian Church Cem., Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio m. Frederick L. Westover.

Children: (Surname WESTOVER)

604. Phyllis m. - - - - Colyer.

322. ORA HATTIE COBURN (Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 4 JAN 1883 Gustavus, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 5 OCT 1957 dau. of Bruce Coburn and Hattie S. Barber m. 11 JUL 1903 Ray William Huff who d. 13 AUG 1953.

Children: (Surname HUFF)

+605. Lawrence Halbert b. 11 MAR 1904.

+606. Isabel Irene b. 22 OCT 1906.

324. FRANK MILLS COBURN (Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 31 OCT 1887 Middlefield, Geauga Co., Ohio d. 2 FEB 1968 bur. Maple Grove Cem., Ravenna, Portage Co., Ohio s. of Bruce Coburn and Annah Rose Goff m. 1 AUG 1909 Dicie Estella Stearns b. 2 AUG 1890 Hiram, Portage Co., Ohio d. 17 JUN 1965 Ravenna, Ohio bur. Maple Grove Cem., Ravenna, Ohio dau. of Merritt Orange Stearns and Lovincey E. Goss.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+607. Bruce Merritt b. 5 OCT 1909.

+608. Virgil Leon b. 11 AUG 1919.

609. Mark Everett b. 10 APR 1923 Troy Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio m. 4 NOV 1945 Ravenna, Ohio Mildred Jean Hier b. 24 MAR 1926 Ravenna, Ohio. No issue.

Frank Mills Coburn was a tenant farmer in occupation, taking great pleasure in working with a team of horses in the field. He was employed by a variety of property owners in Geauga Co. and in Portage Co., Ohio. He also worked for a time as school janitor and for a greenhouse operator.

Dicie worked as a cook at the Robinson Memorial Hospital in Ravenna, Ohio and later for the Ravenna city schools.

325. HARRIET LOUISA COBURN (Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 6 DEC 1891 Troy Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio d. Aurora, Portage Co., Ohio dau. of Bruce Coburn and Annah Rose Goff m. 22 JAN 1911 J. Lynn Brown.

Children: (Surname BROWN)

- 610. India m/1 Frank Ackerman m/2 Charles Clayton.
- 611. Ralph.
- 612. Jean m. Walter Paden.
- 613. Bruce.
- 614. Clarence.

Children may be out of order in the absence of dates.

326. MARTHA CAROLINE COBURN (Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 29 MAY 1893 Troy Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio d. 14 DEC 1976 Middlefield, Geauga Co., Ohio (nursing home) bur. Park Cem., Garrettsville, Ohio dau. of Bruce Coburn and Annah Rose Goff m. Charles M. Harris d. 28 FEB 1976 Garrettsville, Portage Co., Ohio bur. Park Cem., Garrettsville, Ohio s. of Isiah Harris and Ida Jane Baker.

Children: (Surname HARRIS)

- 615. Lysle Will m. Olga Peacuzak.
- 616. Lina m. Gus J. DeYoung.
- 617. Ruth m. Robert Layer.
- 618. Margaret m/1 and divd. m/2 28 NOV 1945 and divd. Charles Buckey.
- 619. Anna Jane m. 21 SEP 1951 James Hraback.

Children may be out of order in the absence of dates.

333. CORNELIA COBURN (Augustus B., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 17 APR 1875 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Augustus B. Coburn and Martha Wyckoff m. 1 OCT 1910 Defiance Co., Ohio by Rev. C. H. Burgener D. E. Bent b. 22 APR 1857 LaRue, Marion Co., Ohio s. of John Bent and Anna Hockenberry.

Children: (Surname BENT)

one ch. b. c.1913; poss. others.

D. E. Bent was a blacksmith in occupation and Cornelia was a dressmaker at time of marriage.

335. MARY R. (MATIE) BAKER (Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 AUG 1875 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 MAY 1945 Auburn, Ind. (apoplexy) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of O. Jacob Baker and Sarah Jane Coburn m/1 1 JAN 1903 DeKalb Co., Ind. George Sherman Gee b. 8 OCT 1865 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 24 NOV 1905 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of F. Harmon Gee and Elizabeth G. Flint.

Children: (Surname GEE)

+620. Frederick Harmon b. 11 AUG 1905.

Sherman Gee was a farmer in occupation. He always lived on the Gee home farm where he grew to manhood working with his father and then remained until his death following an operation for appendicitis.

Mary (or Matie as she was commonly known) m/2 5 SEP 1931 Auburn, Ind. by James L. Griffin, J.P. Hugh Neiland b. 1866 d. 1942 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. She then m/3 8 DEC 1944 St. Joe, Ind. Rutherford T. Doiron, a retired car inspector for the C & O RR.

From the obituary of Mary R. Gee Doiron: "She is survived by her husband; one son, Fred Gee, of Auburn; two brothers, Meade Baker, of Fairmount, Indiana, and John Baker, of Hicksville, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Urmson, of Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. Anna Frank, also of Akron, a former resident of north of Auburn; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She was a member of the Christian Church."

336. ANNA (HANNAH ?) BAKER (Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) d. c.1974/75 dau. of O. Jacob Baker and Sarah Jane Coburn m. 16 NOV 1901 Oliver Vernon Frank b. 1878 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 JAN 1920 nr. Auburn, Ind. (train-auto accident) s. of Jacob O. Frank and Harriet - - -.

Children: (Surname FRANK)

+621. Mildred Elsie b. 1 AUG 1903.

+622. DeLoss b. 19 JUN 1905.

+623. John Russell b. 11 SEP 1907 d. 26 JUL 1932.

+624. Harriet b. 24 FEB 1909.

625. Robert b. 12 JUL 1911 living 1984 m. 18 SEP 1948 Auburn Ind.
Phyllis Hewitt b. 3 MAY 1907 DeKalb Co., Ind. living
1984 dau. of Archie Hewitt and Edna Becker. No
issue. Robert has been a plumbing and heating contractor all his working life. Res. nr. Auburn, Ind.

+626. Cleon A. b. 30 JUN 1913 d. 22 APR 1967.

+627. Martha Elizabeth b. 14 JUL 1916.

Vernon Frank, as he was most commonly known, was a school teacher for a number of years and also worked as an interior decorator; becoming a rural mail carrier about 1917. His death occurred near the family home when he was leaving to start his mail route. Being an unusually cold morning, he was bundled up well and had the side curtains on the car, precautions which may have interfered with his vision. His car was squarely on the track at the moment the Ft. Wayne & Northwestern interurban car reached the crossing, demolishing the auto and instantly killing Vernon.

353. ORA E. COBURN (Warren W., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 13 AUG 1887 d. 10 JAN 1921 Ae 33 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Lutheran Hosp. - pneumonia) s. of Warren W. Coburn and Cora Ann Williams m. 20 APR 1919 Fort

Wayne, Ind. Louise D. Kammeyer b. 9 OCT 1881 d. 16 JUN 1958 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Fairfield Convalescent Home) bur. Lindenwood Cem., Fort Wayne, Ind.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

628. Wallace W. b. 14 SEP 1920. Res. JUN 1958 at Ann Arbor, Mich.

From his obituary, it is learned that Ora Coburn was a bricklayer and that he was a member of the Emanuel Evangelical church in Fort Wayne, Ind.

361. MERRITT RUSSELL WADE (Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 JUN 1892 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 24 MAY 1960 bur. Leek Cem., Okemos, Mich. s. of William H. Wade and Harriet A. Coburn m. 15 JAN 1915 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. Gaylia Hulliberger b. 24 MAY 1896 Lake Odessa, Ionia Co., Mich. living 1984 dau. of Ora Hulliberger and Florence Walter.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+629. Hal b. 18 SEP 1916 d. 24 MAY 1974.

+630. Aubrey M. b. 1 JUL 1918.

+631. Rex b. 11 AUG 1923.

Merritt Wade was a tool and die maker in occupation. The family resided at Lansing, Michigan where the widow, Gaylia, continues to make her home; her health is relatively good and she still drives her car.

363. HENRY FRANKLIN HART (Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. AUG 1871 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of James Wesley Hart and Emma A. Coburn m/1 24 DEC 1892 Maggie F. Walter m/2 22 JUL 1898 Steuben Co., Ind. and divd. between 1902-1915 Violet M. Morrison b. 26/27 APR 1880 Steuben Co., Ind. d. Detroit, Mich. dau. of John E. Morrison and Sarah Frances Taylor.

Children: (Surname HART)

632. Maxine.

633. Irene.

+634. Anita Bernice b. 22 MAR 1912.

Henry F. Hart was a violinist and piano tuner by profession. Family tradition states that he headed for the bright lights of Hollywood to seek fame and fortune. The last known of his whereabouts at the time of his mother's death in June, 1926 was El Centro, California.

The daughters Maxine and Irene were also reportedly talented in music and appeared in several New York musicals billed as the "Hart Sisters."

374. EFFIE A. HART (Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1873 (g.s.) DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1928 (g.s.) bur Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of James Wesley Hart and Emma A. Coburn m. 25 DEC 1894 DeKalb Co., Ind. Henry W. Schoolmaster b. 15 NOV 1865 (g.s.) Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. d. 4 SEP 1944 (g.s.) Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. (hospital).

Children: (Surname SCHOOLMASTER)

635. Andrew m. - - - - and res. Los Angeles, Calif.
 636. Minnie.
 637. Lois.
 638. Lotus m. - - - - Shellenbarger.
 639. Margaret Donna b. 1913 d. 2 AUG 1938 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co.,
 Ind. m. - - - - Jackway.

From the St. Joe News issue of Thurs., Aug. 11, 1938:

.....Andrew Schoolmaster, of Los Angeles, who accompanied the body of his sister, Margaret, here who died Aug. 2nd. Margaret was in poor health for seven years with tuberculosis and the last two years were spent in California thinking the climate might cure her of this malady. Funeral services were held Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock from the Kinsey funeral home. Burial at Alton cemetery by the side of her mother.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Sept. 14, 1944.

Short services were held Saturday forenoon at the Rupp funeral home for Henry W. Schoolmaster, who was born at Grand Rapids, Michigan November 15, 1862 and died September 4, 1944 at a hospital in Lansing, Michigan. He leaves a son, Andrew Schoolmaster, and a daughter, Lotus Shellenbarger, and four grandchildren, all residing in Calif. His wife, Effie Hart Schoolmaster, preceded him in death 16 years ago and a daughter, Margaret, 7 years ago. Rev. William Clague officiated.

(Inasmuch as daughters Minnie and Lois are not mentioned in Henry's obituary, it may be assumed that they both DY; or the information given may have been in error. CEB)

375. MARGARET ALMIRA HART (Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 OCT 1874 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 11 SEP 1943 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of James W. Hart and Emma A. Coburn m. 25 DEC 1894 Roscoe H. Conine whose dates and parentage have not been given.

Children: (Surname CONINE)

640. Gladys m. - - - - Brinck. Res. Hicksville, Ohio.
 641. Ensor.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Sept. 16, 1943.

Margaret A. Conine, aged 68, wife of Roscoe H. Conine, died Saturday morning of last week at the family home in Hicksville following an extended illness of a complication of diseases. She had suffered a paralytic stroke in February, 1942.

Mrs. Conine was born October 12, 1874, at St. Joe, Indiana, and was a daughter of James W. and Emma Coburn Hart. She grew to womanhood in the vicinity of her birth, and on December 25, 1894, she was united in marriage with Ros-

coe H. Conine. They went to housekeeping near Hicksville and had lived in Hicksville for the past thirteen years. Mrs. Conine was a member of the Methodist Church and took an active part in the various organizations of the church as long as health permitted.

Surviving her are the husband; a daughter, Mrs. Gladys Brinck, of Hicksville; a son, Ensor Conine, of Fort Wayne; three grandchildren; 4 brothers, Frank Hart of California, Charles Hart, of Los Angeles, Calif., John C. Hart, of Fort Wayne, and Jay J. Hart, of St. Joe. A sister, Mrs. Effie Schoolmaster, preceded her in death.

377. JONATHAN COY (JOHN) HART (Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. MAY 1879 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1945 s. of James W. Hart and Emma A. Coburn m. 4 FEB 1900 DeKalb Co., Ind. Delilah A. Meyers b. 1882, her parentage not determined. He is bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname HART)

- 642. Albert b. 30 MAR 1900. Reportedly m. and had four children.
- +643. Jonathan Coy Jr. b. 12 APR 1906.
- 644. Effie b. 21 OCT 1912.
- 645. Horace W. b. 2 APR 1915 DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 646. Lavon b. 17 MAY 1917.

378. JESSE JAY HART (Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 NOV 1884 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1954 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of James W. Hart and Emma A. Coburn m/1 8 FEB 1903 Lewella Bensteel b. 1883, apparently no issue. Jessie m/2 6 OCT 1909 DeKalb Co., Ind. Della Mann b. 1885 dau. of Jesse Mann and Ada Elizabeth Speaker.

Children: (Surname HART)

- +647. Henry Leoral b. 27 DEC 1911.
- 648. Jesse J. b. 3 MAR 1914.
- 649. Annabelle b. 2 MAY 1916 d. 27 DEC 1932 (leakage of heart). Unm.
- +650. James Andrew b. 26 SEP 1918.
- +651. Lucile b. 13 MAR 1921 (twin).
- 652. Leota b. 13 MAR 1921 (twin).
- 653. Walter O. b. 25 SEP 1922 m. 12 APR 1942 Phyllis J. Overmyer. Res. Antwerp, Ohio.
- 654. Margaret Donna b. 6 NOV 1925 St. Joe, Ind. m. 12 AUG 1946 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. Alva Klopenstein Marvin M. Keppeler b. 3 APR 1920 Edgerton, Williams Co., Ohio s. of Samuel Keppeler and Blanche Gipe. Marvin was a farmer at marriage.

Jessie Jay Hart and family resided near Coburn's Corners in DeKalb Co., Ind.

384. BERTHA COBURN (William H. H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 18 JUN 1890 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of William H. H. Coburn and Margaret Robertson m. 22 APR 1919 Cedar Rapids, Linn Co., Iowa Herman J. Rozema b. 31 MAY 1890 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Joseph Rozema and Gertrude Kolk.

Children: (Surname ROZEMA)

+655. Marcie Lucille b. 15 OCT 1923.

+656. Morris J. b. 31 MAR 1926 d. 4 JUN 1965.

Herman Rozema was a teacher for some period of years but he was employed by John Deere Co. at Moline, Ill. for more than 20 years to the time of his retirement. He saw military service during WWI.

Bertha Coburn was a teacher prior to marriage. She and Herman resided in 1975 at Davenport, Iowa.

386. DON ROBERTSON COBURN (William H. H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 21 AUG 1926 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 13 DEC 1964 Ft. Baird, N.M. s. of William H. H. Coburn and Margaret Robertson m. Margaret Losey whose dates and parentage have not been given.

Children: (Surname COBURN) unsure of chronological order.

657. dau.

658. dau.

659. son.

387. MABEL COBURN (William H. H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 23 JUL 1902 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of William H. H. Coburn and Margaret Robertson m. 12 OCT 1927 Clyde Cumberworth, his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CUMBERWORTH)

660. Dean b. c.1935.

661. Dannie.

Clyde Cumberworth was a farmer in occupation.

388. DOROTHY COBURN (William H. H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 18 MAY 1907 Denver Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of William H. H. Coburn and Margaret Robertson m. 22 DEC 1930 Dimondale, Eaton Co., Mich. Dennie L. Clanahan b. 28 AUG 1904 Edinburg, Shenandoah Co., Va. s. of David G. Clanahan and Florence Lonis.

Children: (Surname CLANAHAN)

+662. Janet Lee b. 27 FEB 1933.

+663. Diana Lou b. 16 SEP 1934.

+664. Dorothy Jane b. 23 FEB 1938.

+665. David William b. 29 MAY 1940.

666. Stephen Dennie b. 6 AUG 1945 m. AUG 1970 Lansing, Mich., Jane Knapp.

Dennie L. Clanahan was employed as an agronomist with Michigan State University and Dorothy was employed as an extension agent. They res. at Marquette, Mich.

390. WINIFRED MABEL COBURN (Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 1884 d. 13 JUL 1964 Ae 80 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Charles M. Coburn and Dora Hubbard m. prob. c.1903 Fred Emerson Hart b. 17 DEC 1879 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 10 DEC 1967 New Port Richey, Pasco Co., Fla. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Washington Hart and Alice L. Abel.

Children: (Surname HART)

- +667. Glen Milton b. 22 JUL 1904.
- +668. Elwood Roland b. 20 MAR 1908.
- 669. Robert Dale b. 9 SEP 1916 d. 1932.

By relocating upon her marriage to Fred Hart from Newaygo Co., Mich. to DeKalb Co., Ind., Winifred became a key element in maintaining contacts between those Coburn family members that remained in Michigan and their relatives and friends in the area of St. Joe, Ind. and the Coburntown community. Fred and Winifred lived on a farm very near to the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners, and both were active in affairs of the church. For a number of years Fred maintained the grove at the Cheesetown school across the highway from the Alton Cemetery, this property having been a most popular site for reunions and other activities attracting a sizeable attendance.

Fred and Winifred Hart were intimately known in the community and they had frequent guests in their home, many coming from a distance to visit. The fact that their marriage brought together elements of the Coburn, Hart, and Abel families descended from early settlers no doubt contributed to their popularity.

Following Winifred's death, Fred Hart m/2 c.1966 Bessie Augsberger who survived him.

398. RUBY DORIS COBURN (Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 27 SEP 1897 (a twin) Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich. d. 22 JUN 1965 bur. Jewel Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Charles M. Coburn and Dora G. Hubbard m. 10 MAR 1921 Huber, Mich. John H. Schuiteman b. 1 SEP 1897 Sheridan Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Henry Schuiteman and Jennie - - - -.

Children: (Surname SCHUITEMAN)

- +670. John Jr. b. 3 AUG 1922 d. MAR 1980.
- 671. Edsel. He was a student at Marion College, Marion, Ind. in 1956 and res. in 1965 at Gas City, Grant Co., Ind.
- 672. Leah m. Joseph Kandler.
- 673. Dora m. Richard Dykman. Res. 1956 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

John and Ruby were members of the First Baptist Church at Fremont, Mich. where they made their home. Ruby was a trained nurse at Muskegon, Mich. in 1921.

It is believed that John Schuiteman m/2 after Ruby's death but details are not known. In March, 1980 he res. in So. Carolina.

398. CHARLES W. COBURN (Ella C., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 27 SEP 1914 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ella Clay Coburn and Beulah D. Koch m. 9 JAN 1941 Defiance Co., Ohio by Rev. Paul D. Chiles Eleanor M. Click b. 12 SEP 1919 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of George Click and Emma Cramer.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 674. Linda b. c. SEP 1941. She is a nurse.
- 675. Jerry

Charles and Eleanor removed Hicksville, Ohio to Jackson, Mich. shortly after the birth of their daughter Linda and remained at that location thereafter.

400. ELOISE ELAINE COBURN (Ella C., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 9 JUL 1917 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Ella Clay Coburn and Beulah D. Koch m. 16 APR 1937 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. H. H. Fisher Charles Richard Eadie Jr. b. 3 NOV 1915 Jackson, Jackson Co., Mich. d. 15 MAY 1978 Jackson, Mich. s. of Charles R. Eadie Sr. and Grace Pearl Helton.

The above birthdates for Eloise and Charles are taken from the marriage record and they do not agree with family records which gives the year of her birth as 1920 and his birth as 1917.

Children: (Surname EADIE)

- +676. Sharon Elaine b. 20 AUG 1938.

Res. Jackson, Michigan.

402. WALTER R. KEESLER (Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. c. 1901 d. 5 FEB 1983 Ae 82 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Samuel Keesler and Caroline Belle Coburn m. 24 JUN 1922 Bellwood, Geneva Co., Alabama Eva King, who predeceased Walter, dau. of George King.

(Children (Surname KEESLER)

- +677. Ruth Evangeline b. 30 MAR 1923.
- 678. Myranella m. Dennis Menshy 25 AUG 1943 Angola, Ind. s. of Otto Menshy.
- 679. (son) d. inf. c. 20 MAY 1932.
- 680. Gloria Dawn b. 17 JUN 1933.

Walter Keesler was manager of the Holman Feed Service until October, 1944 when he resigned this position to take charge of the retail store for the Nappanee Milling Co. at Nappanee, Ind.

403. DORIS D. KEESLER (Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 OCT 1905 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Samuel Keesler and Caroline Belle Coburn m. 1 MAR 1924 Newville, Ind. by H. D. Meads, min. United Brethren Church Desmond Wilbur Yeiser b. 6 FEB 1905 Avilla, Noble Co., Ind. s. of Lloyd W. Yeiser and Ida Baughman.

Children: (Surname YEISER)

- +681. Harold Lloyd b. 26 NOV 1924.
- +682. Rosemary b. 23 MAR 1927.
- +683. Donald Keith b. 4 JUL 1930.

404. HENRY C. KEESLER (Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 1908 d. 30 JUL 1981 Ae 73 Auburn, Ind. (DeKalb Mem. Hosp.) s. of Samuel
Keesler and Caroline Belle Coburn m. Lily Pearl Rigg.

Children: (Surname KEESLER)

- 684. Joy June b. 25 MAY 1930 m. 10 JUL 1950 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. David
Neilson, Richard Larkin b. 18 FEB 1930 Butler, DeKalb Co.,
Ind. s. of John Larkin and Madge Thiel.
- +685. Duane Lee b. 2 FEB 1933.
- +686. Gay Anne b. 15 JUN 1938.
- 687. Glee Marie b. 16 JUL 1942.

Henry Keesler was a service station operator. Pearl, as she preferred to be
known, was a school teacher.

This family res. Auburn, Indiana.

COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION SIX
(Coburntown Branch)

409. FOREST KING DERMOTT (A. Marion Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 31 JAN 1885 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 APR 1964 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of A. Marion Dermott and Candace C. King m. 16 OCT 1909 and divd. c.1931 Hazel M. Smurr b. 14 JUN 1890 d. 30 MAY 1958 dau. of John V. Smurr and Cora A. Yates.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

+688. Marion b. 29 SEP 1912 d. 25 JUN 1967.

+689. Evelyn Fay b. 19 FEB 1919.

Forest was a farmer in occupation and resided near Newville in DeKalb Co., Indiana.

410. CLAUDIA CORDELIA DERMOTT (J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. JUN 1879 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1 MAR 1966 Ae 87 Coldwater Twp., Branch Co., Mich. (cerebral vascular accident) bur Coldwater, Mich. m. 30 OCT 1897 DeKalb Co., Ind. Herbert E. Abel b. OCT 1870 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 7 MAR 1948 Coldwater Twp., Branch Co., Mich. (chronic myocarditis) bur. Coldwater, Mich. s. of Henry J. Abel and Eliza J. Shull.

Children: (Surname ABEL)

+690. Ruth Opal b. 24 FEB 1903 d. 24 NOV 1980.

+691. Doris b. 4 JUL 1906 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 20 JAN 1934 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. Rudolph Harold Zehner b. 17 APR 1904 Argos, Marshall Co., Ind. d. 30 NOV 1961 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. bur. Greenlawn Cem., Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of David Zehner and Daisy C. Redinger. No issue of this marriage. Harold m. previously and had son Edwin Harold Zehner b. 1 JUL 1926 who married and res. at Zeeland, Mich. Harold was a knitting company employe 35 yrs. followed by 8 yrs. as a salesman for Sears, Roebuck & Co. Doris worked in the office of the Fort Wayne Paper Box Co., Fort Wayne, Ind. prior to marriage. After Harold's death, she bought her parents' farm bordering a lake at Coldwater, Mich. where she presently resides.

+692. Mary b. 19 SEP 1904.

693. Henry Evans b. 13 APR 1914 d. 24 APR 1914 Coldwater Twp., Branch Co., Mich. (heart failure).

+694. Madge Marie b. 6 JAN 1917.

Herbert Abel was a farmer in occupation, first in DeKalb Co., Ind. and then removing to Branch Co., Mich. about 1910.

411. DEO DERMOTT (J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 JAN 1883 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 26 AUG 1954 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich. bur. Constantine, Mich. s. of J. Evans Dermott and Mary A. Saylor m. 23

MAR 1903 Ines Kline b. 27 OCT 1884 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Theodore Kline and Sarah Elizabeth (Liz) Gill.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- +695. Madge Irene b. 16 JAN 1906 d. 8 AUG 1983.
- 696. Kline Evans b. 25 MAY 1909 Girard, Branch Co., Mich. d. 30 NOV 1981 m/1 JUN 1934 Winifred Ginsler m/2 Maxine Hill. No issue of either marriage.
- +697. John Evans II b. 19 MAY 1915.
- +698. Betty Rosalyn b. 25 NOV 1917.

Deo Dermott was a farmer in occupation, first near Coldwater, Mich. and then removing to Constantine, Mich. His property at this latter location remains in possession of family members.

As a comment upon the hazards of farm life in years gone by, a newspaper account in October 1905 reported that Deo, "was so unfortunate as to sever the large cord of his leg just above the heel, while cutting corn with a sled corn-cutter." A later article advised that, "he is able to use his foot without being crippled."

Ines Dermott still manages to live alone at her advanced age in her home at Coldwater, Mich. However, daughter Betty resides nearby and keeps constantly in touch with her mother by phone and in person.

414. OLON L. DERMOTT (J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 APR 1885 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 FEB 1956 Nappanee, Elkhart Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of J. Miller Dermott and Melissa Hart m/1 20 OCT 1907 Bertha Ethel Place b. 15 MAR 1889 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio d. 25 OCT 1930 Ae 41y 7m 10d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Reed Place and Della M. Burnington.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- 699. Viola (twin) b. 23 JUN 1908 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 MAY 1909 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
- +700. Violet Marie (twin) b. 23 JUN 1908 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 JUL 1937 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 701. Latha Mildred b. 7 APR 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. (deceased) m/1 Albert Wm. Jewel m/2 Wm. Goldsmith. No issue of either marriage. Resided at Alvorado, Ohio.
- +702. Howard R. b. 28 DEC 1915 DeKalb Co., Ind.

After the death of his first wife, Olon m/2 25 MAY 1935 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by Rev. Leo H. Miller, Mary Magbalene Musser b. 19 JAN 1908 Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of Otis Otto Musser and Cally Hampshire.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- +703. Miller Otis b. 13 AUG 1943.
- +704. Jacob Joseph b. 30 NOV 1946.

Initially, Olon Dermott was a farmer in occupation in DeKalb Co., Ind. but he later followed various lines of work. In 1924, he was engaged in road construction at Milwaukee, Wisc. and in 1940 he was employed at Kalamazoo, Mich. by the Cool Dairy. He then spent about one year in Chicago and a similar period at Rockford, Illinois. In 1944, he was located at Belvidere, Ill. where he was manager of the Dunning farm of registered Guernsey and Jersey cattle.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Oct. 30, 1930

Bertha Ethel Place, daughter of Reed and Della Place, was born in Hicksville, Ohio, March 15, 1889, departed this life on October 25, 1930, aged 41 years, 7 months and 10 days. Twenty-seven years ago she with her parents moved to this community where she spent the greater part of her life. Twenty-three years ago she became a member of the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners. On October 20, 1907 she was united in marriage to Olen (sic) Dermott, to this union four children were born, Mrs. Violet Moore of St. Joe; Mrs. Latha Jewel of Elkhart; Howard, at home, and Viola, who died May 17, 1909.

Often in her girlhood days she showed great love for music, this talent she used to the delight of her friends and family. Often in the evening, she seated herself at the piano in her father's home, her father, mother, brothers and sister made the old home ring with their happy voices singing the old gospel songs which father and mother loved so dearly.

She leaves to mourn, a loving faithful husband, three children, mother, three brothers, a sister, two grandchildren and many friends.

416. EDWIN MERLE COBURN (Floyd J., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 APR 1920 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Floyd J. Coburn and Opal Miller m. 24 JUN 1944 Coburn's Corners (Spencer Twp.) DeKalb Co., Ind. Ruth Garnell Keller b. 24 OCT 1925 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George Arthur Keller and Grace I. Ginder.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 705. Nyla Jean stillborn 27 AUG 1945 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich.
- +706. Patricia Ann b. 17 APR 1947.
- +707. Roger Lee b. 12 SEP 1951.
- +708. Marcia Sue b. 11 JAN 1953.

Edwin Merle Coburn (namesake of #49 Edwin Riley Coburn) is commonly known by his friends and relatives as Merle. He and wife Ruth are very active in the Church of Christ at Coburntown and Merle has regularly held a position of importance in the affairs of the church.

In occupation, Merle has been a career employe of the General Electric Co. at Fort Wayne, Indiana. The family resides at St. Joe, Indiana.

417. DELPHIA ARLENE WILLARD (Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 JUL 1918 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa dau. of Wallace C.

Willard and Laura M. Coburn m/1 12 AUG 1936 Bloomington, McLean Co., Ill. Vernon Boyd Lhamon b. 16 FEB 1914 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa d. 9 DEC 1936 Bloomington, Ill. bur. Pekin, Tazewell Co., Ill. s. of William Lhamon and Flora Denbow.

Children: (Surname LHAMON)

+709. Lee Roy b. 3 JUN 1937.

+710. Vernon Lawrence b. 4 MAR 1939.

711. Michael Dean b. 10 JAN 1944 Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill. d. 30 OCT 1963 Pekin, Tazewell Co., Ill.

In occupation, Vernon was a yeast operator in a distillery.

After her first husband's death, Arlene as she preferred to be known m/2 and divd. James Conley; this marriage of short duration.

Arlene than m/3 27 AUG 1966 at Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill. William Russell Taft b. 18 APR 1910 Freeport, Stephenson Co., Ill. s. of Roland Taft and Eva Kosier. No issue of this marriage.

William Taft had married previously and divd. and had three or four daughters of his prior marriage. He served during WWII in the U. S. Army and in occupation he was a tavern operator.

Arlene worked as a cook. Her church affiliation Disciples of Christ.

418 DWIGHT FLOYD WILLARD (Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 DEC 1919 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa s. of Wallace C. Willard and Laura M. Coburn m. 28 JUN 1940 Marshalltown, Iowa Georgia Hazel Suggett b. 13 DEC 1917 Oskaloosa, Mahaska Co., Iowa dau. of William George Suggett and Lola Edna Garret.

Children: (Surname WILLARD)

+712. Stephen Jay b. 17 NOV 1942.

713. Lynn Earl b. 12 MAR 1948 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa m. 19 JUN 1976 Iowa City, Johnson Co., Iowa and divd. Machele - - - -. No issue.

Dwight served during WWII in the U. S. Navy. In occupation, he is a banker. The family church affiliation Disciples of Christ.

419. CHARLOTTE ELLENDER WILLARD (Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 DEC 1925 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa dau. of Wallace C. Willard and Laura M. Coburn m. 21 SEP 1945 Marshalltown, Iowa Rollie Ray Sargent, Jr. b. 30 MAR 1925 Marshalltown, Iowa s. of Rollie Ray Sargent and Lena Jane Thorp.

Children: (Surname SARGENT)

+714. Laura Ellender b. 4 MAY 1948.

+715. Jennifer Ann b. 13 MAY 1960.



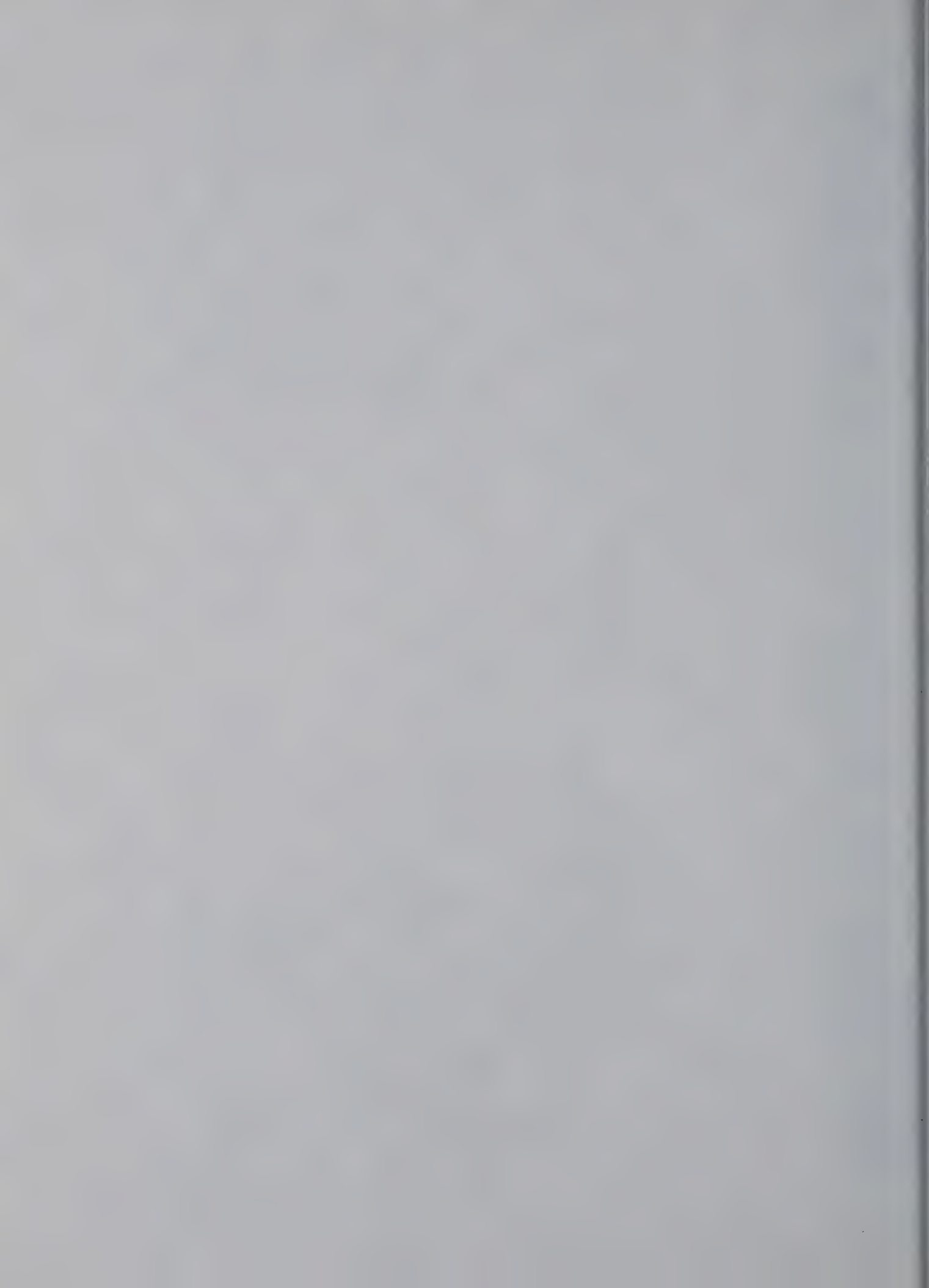
Floyd Coburn (#179)
& w. Opal Miller



Edwin Merle Coburn (#416)
& w. Ruth G. Keller



Harmon A. Coburn fam., L-R: (rear) Estel, Lloyd
(front) Audrey, Harmon, Georgia, wife Bertha,
Pauline (son William escaped this photo --
his hand appears over Audrey's shoulder)



Rollie Sargent served during WWII from the summer of 1943 to spring of 1946 in the U. S. Air Force (known as Army Air Corps at his enlistment). He remained a member of the Air Force Reserves until retiring after twenty years and having been recalled to active duty for one year during the Korean Conflict. Since April, 1955 he has been employed as a member of the operating crew by Iowa Electric Light & Power Co. at their power generating plant.

Charlotte continued her education after high school by attending Central Iowa Business College where she completed secretarial training and presently is employed as a legal secretary.

Rollie and Charlotte were high school sweethearts and married while he was serving in the USAF. Family church affiliation is Disciples of Christ (Central Christian Church) where Charlotte serves on the Board of Elders and is a member of the Sanctuary Choir and the Handbell Choir.

420. WALTER VanDeVENTER COBURN (Walter H., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 MAY 1923 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa s. of Walter H. Coburn and Harriet A. VanDeVenter m. JUN 1949 El Dorado, Butler Co., KS Rosalie Keith, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 716. Barbara Sue b. 12 NOV 1953 Lowell, Middlesex Co., Mass. m. 5 JAN 1973 Overland Park, Johnson Co., KS Charles Duffield.
- 717. David Keith b. 28 JAN 1957.
- 718. Rebecca Ann b. 13 SEP 1960.

Walter served in the military during WWII. In occupation he is engaged in hospital sales.

Family church affiliation Episcopal with residence at Olathe, Kansas.

421. EDVER WILMOT COBURN (Walter H., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 FEB 1926 Lehigh, Webster Co., Iowa s. of Walter H. Coburn and Harriet A. VanDeVenter m. 19 JUN 1948 Kokomo, Howard Co., Ind. Joan Touby b. 12 AUG 1925 Kokomo, Ind. dau. of Emmet Peter Touby and Elsie Locke.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +719. Charlotte b. 6 DEC 1950.
- +720. Marcia b. 2 MAR 1952.
- 721. Phillip Dean b. 2 MAR 1953 Plymouth, Marshall Co., Ind. m. 25 AUG 1974 and divd. 1976 Diane Kranitz.
- +722. Lesley Paul b. 14 OCT 1955.
- 723. Jonathan Touby b. 10 MAR 1961 Plymouth, Marshall Co., Ind.

Joan attended Ball State Univ. at Muncie Ind. grad. 1948 with MS degree and is employed as a school teacher.

Edver Coburn attended Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind. grad. 1950 with BS degree; following with graduate work at Purdue Univ., Indiana Univ. Notre

Dame, Ball State and Antioch College grad. 1970 MS degree. During WWII, he served in the U. S. Navy (7 MAR 1943 to 10 MAY 1946) with the rank of Lt. JG., seeing action in the Pacific Theatre. In occupation, he has been a teacher and a merchant dealing in household furnishings.

Joan and Edver share affiliation in the Disciples of Christ and Presbyterian churches at Plymouth, Indiana where they maintain their home.

422. JAMES FRANKLIN COBURN (Walter H. Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 FEB 127 Lehigh, Webster Co., Iowa s. of Walter H. Coburn and Harriet A. VanDeVenter m. 27 JUL 1951 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. Beverly Ann Dawson b. 22 MAY 1927 Corunna, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Harvey Dawson and Berna Cook.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

724. Marc Dawson b. 28 AUG 1952 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. d. 1968 in State of Washington.

725. James Franklin b. 14 AUG 1954 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. He served four years in the U.S.A.F. and in 1982 was a student attending Central Univ., at Ellensburg, Washington.

726. Janis Anne b. 16 AUG 1956 Brussels, Belgium. In 1983 was serving in the U.S.Army stationed in Germany.

727. Roger Brent b. 23 MAR 1958 Ifuma, Belgian Congo (now Zaire). He is a graduate of Central Univ., Ellensburg, Wash. and in 1982 was employed as swimming coach at the YMCA in Yakima, Wash.

728. Peter Lyndon b. 17 FEB 1964 Wema, Zaire

Beverly is a Registered Nurse, having trained at Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis, Ind. and also attended Indiana University grad. 1952 with BS degree in Nursing.

Franklin attended Butler University at Indianapolis, Ind. grad. 1950 with AB degree; also C.T.S. there 1950-51 and 1960-61; B.D. degree. He also attended Indiana Univ.-Purdue Univ. college campus 1972-74 grad. degree M.S.W.

Franklin's professional career has been minister-Missionary and social worker. He did missionary work in Zaire (Africa) Foreign Missions 1957-1964 and Home Missions at White Swan, Wash. 1964-1967. He served as pastor during 1964-1967 at the Yakima Indian Christian Church at White Swan, Wash. He is presently employed as a case worker with the U.S. Dept. of Social & Health Services.

Family church affiliation Disciples of Christ and home at Yakima, Washington.

423. FRANCIS MARION COBURN (Walter H., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 SEP 1928 Lohrville, Calhoun Co., Iowa s. of Walter H. Coburn and Harriet A. VanDeVenter m/1 APR 1951 and divd. 1969 Lyla Matthews b. 4 APR 1931, her parentage not tiven.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 729. Clifford Stanley b. 18 AUG 1953 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind.
- 730. Audrey Lucile b. 5 SEP 1955 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. m.
at Roswell, Chaves Co., N.M. and divd. Terry Fletcher.
- 731. Sarah Claudia Maria b. 14 APR 1969 San Jose, Costa Rica.

Marion Coburn, as he preferred to be known, m/2 15 DEC 1971 in Costa Rica
Grace Badilla b. 14 SEP 1945 Cost Rice, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 732. Carisa b. 3 APR 1979 Fairfax, Fairfax Co., Va.

Marion's church affiliation is Disciples of Christ while Grace is a member
of the Roman Catholic church. Their residence is Port of Spain, Trinidad,
Tobago where Marion is employed by the U. S. Department of State as an IRS-
AID.

425. DeLOSS COBURN SHAFFER (Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer
Coburn) b. 21 JUL 1919 Marion, Grant Co., Ind. s. of Glenn Shaffer and Delphia
M. Coburn m/1 c.1940 and divd. c.1960 Winnifred Weiland b. 21 AUG 1920 Moose
Jaw, Saskatchewan Province, Canada dau. of John Johnson Weiland and Mildred
Edith Thomas.

Children: (Surname SHAFFER)

- +733. Helen Mildred b. 23 SEP 1941.
- +734. Mary Louise b. 30 JUL 1945.
- +735. Louis John b. 29 JUL 1947.
- +736. Deborah Ruth b. 19 SEP 1953.
- 737. David Dee b. 13 JUL 1955.
- 738. Thomas Coburn b. 26 AUG 1958.

DeLoss Shaffer m/2 c.1975 in Jerusalem (on a Holy Land tour) Verna - - - -
whose maiden name, dates and parentage have not been given; understood to
now be separated.

In occupation, DeLoss is a machinist and his church affiliation is Interde-
nominational. During WWII, he served in the U.S. Army. He presently re-
sides with daughter Mary Lambdin at Goshen, Indiana.

426. LAURA BONITA SHAFFER (Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer
Coburn) b. 17 NOV 1920 New Paris, Elkhart Co., Ind. dau. of Glenn Shaffer
and Delphia M. Coburn m. 24 FEB 1940 at Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. by Frank
K. Dougherty, min. Max Keith (Joe) Pershing b. 6 DEC 1919 Marshall, Parke
Co., Ind. s. of Ivan I. Pershing and Bertha Alice Gerard.

Children: (Surname PERSHING)

- +739. Alice Virginia b. 26 FEB 1943.
- +740. Delphia Anne b. 9 JUN 1945.

+741. Robert Keith b. 7 OCT 1947.

+742. Sally Kay b. 31 AUG 1948.

Max Pershing is employed as a foreman in a mobile home factory. During WWII, he served in the Merchant Marines and in the U. S. Army. Bonita as she is commonly known, also has been a factory employe.

The family residence is on Yellow Creek Lake near Claypool, Indiana.

428. MARGARET M. SHAFFER (Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 JUL 1925 Pierceton, Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of Glenn Shaffer and Delphia M. Coburn m. 11 JUL 1953 at Goshen, Elkhart Co., Ind. Roy Stanley LaValley b. 16 DEC 1921 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. s. of Albert LaValley and Florence Ruth Hunt.

Children: (Surname LaVALLEY)

+743. Judith Ann b. 8 DEC 1954.

Roy LaValley is a trucker in occupation. Family church affiliation Pentecostal Church of God.

429. SHIRLEY ELNORA COBURN (Kenneth D., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 AUG 1939 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Kenneth D. Coburn and Zola A. Wolford m. 30 MAY 1958 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. Thomas Alvin Mack b. 19 JUL 1941 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. s. of Richard Mack and Juanita Thomas.

Children: (Surname MACK)

+744. Kenneth John b. 14 JAN 1960.

745. Stanley Bishop b. 24 NOV 1961 Hicksville, Ohio (Community Hospital) m. 14 JUN 1980 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. (St. Marks Lutheran Church) Lynette Lee Longardner b. 18 SEP 1961 Alexandria, Va. dau. of Robert Driver Longardner Sr. and Betty Jane Klepper. Stanley is employed by DeKalb Molding Plastics Co. at Butler, Ind. and Lynette is employed by the St. Joe Restaurant at St. Joe, Ind.

746. Carlin Allan b. 5 NOV 1963 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital) d. 25 JAN 1964 Ae 2m 20d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

747. Kathryn Adair b. 6 JAN 1965 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital).

748. Allen Wayne b. 14 JAN 1971 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital).

Thomas is employed as a truck driver by PAR-TEE Co. of Spencerville, Ind. and Shirley is employed part-time by the St. Joe Restaurant at St. Joe, Ind. Both are members of the Spencerville, Ind. Auxiliary Fire Dept.

430. FLOYD CARL (BUTCH) COBURN (Kenneth D., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 OCT 1944 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hosp.) s. of Kenneth D. Coburn and Zola A. Wolford m/1 23/26 JUN 1962 at Coburn's Corners (Church of Christ) by John Paul Hill, min. and divd. DEC 1970 Sharon Rose Winget b. 22 SEP 1946 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Paul B. Winget and Estella M. Weikel.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

749. Bruce Carl b. 11 APR 1964 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Park-view Hospital).

750. Mark Wayne b. 19 NOV 1967 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital).

Following his divorce from his first wife, Floyd m/2 38 DEC 1970 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Robert P. Hodge, J.P. Wanda C. Osborne b. 5 MAR 1941 Grundy, Buchanan Co., Va. dau. of Henry Osborne and Wortha Blankenship.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

751. Butch Carl b. 14 DEC 1972 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

Also the following adopted children from Wanda's previous marriage:

+752. Dennis b. 11 MAR 1958.

+753. Sheila Lynn b. 24 FEB 1962.

754. William b. 20 SEP 1963 Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio.

755. Scott b. 25 FEB 1965 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

756. Penny Jo b. 29 AUG 1970 Bryan, Williams Co., Ohio.

Wanda m/1 c.1957 and divd. 1970 Dennis Thacker b. 10 JAN 1931 Pikeville, Pike Co., Ky. s. of Orville Thacker and Julie - - - -. Their children; (surname THACKER) which were not adopted by Floyd Coburn:

(1) Noah Neil by 7 APR 1959 Grundy Buchanan Co., Va.

(2) Gregory b. 14 AUG 1960 Pikeville, Pike Co., Ky.

Floyd is employed by the Universal Tool Co. of Butler, Indiana in plant maintenance. Family residence is at St. Joe, Indiana.

432. EBEN MELVIN FAUNCE (Melvin D. Faunce, Eben C. Faunce, Charlotte, Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 FEB 1911 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio s. of Melvin Daniel Faunce and Nellie Gay Mulford m. 25 DEC 1942 Lakewood, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio Lillian Frances Latto, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

757. Donald Allen b. 6 APR 1945 Valparaiso, Okaloosa Co., Florida.

758. Gary Scott b. 14 MAY 1947 Lakewood, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.

Residence at Parma, Ohio.

440. GERALD ALDEN FAUNCE (Fred A. Faunce, Calvin P. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 NOV 1897 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio s. of Fred Alden Faunce and Sarah Electa Adams m. 16 DEC 1918 Wellsburg, Ohio Grace McGuire b. 25 OCT 1900 Latrobe, Westmoreland Co., Pa. dau. of James McGuire and Bertha
- - - -.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

759. Grace Elizabeth b. 4 NOV 1920; reportedly m. 19 NOV 1941 but spouse's name not given.

Family residence at Dearborn, Wayne Co., Michigan.

443. HOPE ETHELYN FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Daniel M. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 AUR 1889 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. d. 19 APR 1940 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. dau. of William U. Faunce and Mary Isabel Davis m. 25 NOV 1920 Richard Robinson, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ROBINSON)

760. Richard Jr.

444. VERALD DANIEL FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Daniel M. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 OCT 1894 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. d. 6 FEB 1959 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. s. of William U. Faunce and Mary Isabelle Davis m. 11 JUL 1917 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. Marie Coveyou; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

761. Mary Isabel b. 2 NOV 1919 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich.

762. Richard b. 31 JAN 1930 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich.

447. ROLAND CLEO FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Daniel M. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 AUG 1905 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. s. of William U. Faunce and Mary Isabelle Davis m. 19 JUN 1925 at Watervliet, Berrien Co., Mich. May Edrie UpDenKelder; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

763. William Alden b. 2 MAY 1928 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. m. 19 JUN 1954 Sheila Maule.

764. Phyllis Elaine b. 19 MAY 1935 Big Rapids, Mecosta Co., Mich.

765. Thomas Leroy b. 24 MAY 1940 Big Rapids, Mecosta Co., Mich.

Roland was Professor of Education at Wayne University, Detroit, Michigan.

448. LYLE RAYMOND FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Daniel M. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 OCT 1908 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. s. of William U. Faunce and Mary Isabelle Davis m. 14 OCT 1930 Petoskey Mich. Dorothy Mae Crouterfield; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

766. James Leroy b. 25 MAR 1932 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich.

767. Janice Ann b. 10 NOV 1946 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich.

456. LUCIUS DALE FAUNCE (Alden J. Faunce, William L. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 AUG 1911 Shepherd, Isabella Co., Mich. s. of Alden Joseph Faunce and Winona E. Myers m. 9 FEB 1936 at LaGrange, LaGrange Co., Ind. Wilhelmina Hall; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

768. Stephen Alden b. 14 MAY 1938 Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Mich.

m. 4 JUN 1961 Omaha, Douglas Co., Nebr. Susan Haas.

769. Susan Hall b. 17 JAN 1941 Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Mich.

770. William Dale b. 4 DEC 1947 Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Mich.

Lucius Dale Faunce held the position of Vice President of Western Michigan University at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

466. KENNETH BOYD GOIST (George A. Goist, Estella C. Faunce, Lucretia, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 SEP 1929 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of George Alden Goist and Alda Marilla Boyd m. 20 JUN 1953 at Warren, Ohio Betty Mae Dunn b. 11 FEB 1931 East Liverpool, Columbiana Co., Ohio dau. of Lloyd Anson Dunn and Maggie Mae Huston.

Children: (Surname GOIST)

771. Dale Eugene b. 8 NOV 1956 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio m. 17 SEP 1977 at Trumbull Co., Ohio Margaret Lynn White. No issue.

772. Dean Alan b. 20 SEP 1958 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio.

472. BENJAMIN RICHARD DAVIS (Archie C. Davis, Mary C. Alton, Sarah A., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 NOV 1903 Bear Lake, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 24 FEB 1939 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. bur. White Chapel Cem., Birmingham, Oakland Co., Mich s. of Archie Carl Davis and Katherine M. Holm m. 9 MAY 1925 at Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. Helena Charlotte Knight b. 30 SEP 1904 Bendon, Mich. dau. of Fred Horace Knight and May Helena Murrell.

Children: (Surname DAVIS)

773. Carl Richard b. 20 DEC 1925 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. m/1
Mona Herr m/2 Shirley - - -.

774. Norman Fred b. 5 JUL 1928 Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 28
JUL 1928.

775. Coralee May b. 21 DEC 1929 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. m.
Charles Herbert Boice.

776. Norman Fred b. 17 AUG 1933 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. m. 24
JAN 1953 Jeweldene Chaffin.

475. FLORENCE ALSINA (FLORA) COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 MAY 1913 Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Roy S. Coburn and Clara Belle Turner m. Laurence Reed; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname REED)

- 777. Laurance.
- 778. Warita.
- 779. Lynn.
- 780. Emma

This family resided in 1967 at Fremont, Newaygo Co., Michigan.

476. LAURA ELLENA COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 JUL 1915 Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Roy S. Coburn and Clara Belle Turner m. John H. Hall; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HALL)

- 781. Alvin m. 22 AUG 1964 Marie Robinson who was b. 14 MAY 1942.
- 782. John Houston m. Sandra Haber who was b. 8 MAR 1945.
- 783. Ellyne m. Mark Stephen who was b. 6 NOV 1946.

This family resided in 1967 at Grant, Muskegon Co., Mich.

477. MAYLON LeROY COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 AUG 1917 Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Roy S. Coburn and Clara Belle Turner m. 10 SEP 1942 Frieda Omens b. 19 JAN 1917 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. adopted dau. of Nelson Omens and Mabel Stone.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +784. Steven Clyde b. 30 MAR 1947.
- 785. Madelyn Louise b. 9 NOV 1949 d. 27 JUN 1953 (drowned at Diamond Lake).
- 786. Arden Colleen b. 30 SEP 1950 m. Steven Morely.
- 787. Scott Allen b. 4 MAR 1955.

Maylon Coburn served in the Military during WWII. Family residence in Newaygo Co., Michigan.

479. ETHEL COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 JUN 1920 Newaygo Co., Mich. m. Alva Struble b. 2 DEC 1913; his parentage not given. Her parents were Roy S. Coburn and Clara Belle Turner.

Children: (Surname STRUBLE)

- +788. Adrian Coburn b. 2 JUN 1939.
- 789. Charlene Coburn b. 11 JAN 1943 m. Jerry - - - -. Children:
 - Jonathan b. 17 JUL 1963.
 - Buron b. 3 AUG 1965.
 - Holly b. 12 APR 1970.
- +790. Dwayne b. 22 FEB 1945.
- +791. Keith b. 17 FEB 1948.

This family resided in 1964 at Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich.

481. LYLE COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 2 JUN 1923 Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Roy S. Coburn and Clara Belle Turner
m. Helene Krandel dau. of Hugh Krandel and Faye Wallace.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 792. Kevin Jean b. 13 NOV 1949 d. 1949.
- +793. Debbie L. Coburn b. 1951.
- 794. Gary b. 2 OCT 1952.
- 795. Keely Joe b. 13 APR 1959 m. Gordon Bushong.
- 796. Kimblerly b. 1964.

This family resided in 1967 at Harrison, Clare Co., Michigan.

482. ROSE COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 1927 m. Bedford Grondin; his dates and parentage not given. Rose's par-
ents were Roy S. Coburn and Hazel Turner.

Children: (Surname GRONDIN)

- 797. James.
- 798. Maxine.

Resided in 1967 at St. Ignace, Mackinac Co., Michigan.

484. RALPH COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
s. of Roy S. Coburn and Hazel Turner m. Doris Rushford; no dates nor her
parentage given.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 799. Richard. Resides at Sturtevant Village, Michigan.
- 800. Glennda.
- 801. Karla b. 11 JAN 1960.

The Ralph Coburn family resides at Union Grove (near Racine), Wisconsin.

485. MAX COBURN (Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
m. Anita LaPinsky; no dates nor her parentage given.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 802. Cheryl.
- 803. Mark.
- 804. Jeffrey.
- 805. Colleen.

In 1967, this family resided at Willis, Washtenaw Co., Michigan.

486. MEREDITH F. TRIMBLE b. 19 APR 1908 s. of Orrin M. Trimble and Edith
Pearl Coburn m. Delia J. Fox; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname TRIMBLE)

- +806. Donald C. b. 22 MAY 1933.
- +807. Glenard M. b. 20 SEP 1936.

488. VIOLET A. WOLFE (Maude M., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 OCT 1914 dau. of Frederick N. Wolfe and Maude M. Coburn m. George S. Elzinga b. 29 MAY 1914; his parentage not reported.

Children: (Surname ELZINGA)

- +808. Marilyn J. b. 17 DEC 1936.
- +809. Richard G. b. 27 AUG 1941.
- +810. Philip M. b. 30 MAR 1946.

490. FREDERICK ALEXANDER COBURN (Charles F., Charles F., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 JUL 1915 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. s. of Charles Fred Coburn and Bertha E. Brott m. 1 MAR 1937 at Grand Rapids, Mich. Shirley Eleanor Bogert b. c.1918 Grand Rapids, Mich. dau. of Murl C. Bogert and Betty Blucis.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 811. Sharon Lee b. 23 OCT 1944 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. (Butterworth Hospital).

Frederick Coburn's occupation in 1944 was inspector employed by American Seating Company.

491. DONALD RAY COBURN (Charles F., Charles F., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 SEP 1918 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. s. of Charles Fred Coburn and Bertha E. Brott m. 15 MAR 1939 at Comstock Park, Kent Co., Mich. Carrol June Clouse b. c.1921 Grand Rapids, Mich. dau. of Earl Clouse and Mary Leota Wilkins.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 812. Judith Lynn b. 1 MAY 1941 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. (Butterworth Hospital) m. 4 OCT 1958 at Grand Rapids, Mich. Paul L. Monschein b. c.1937 Grand Rapids, Mich. s. of Jack Louis Monschein and Helen Rudzinski.
- 813. Donald Ray Jr. b. 31 DEC 1946 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. d. 27 APR 1947 Ae 3m 27d (meningococemia) bur. Fairplain Cem., Grand Rapids, Mich.
- 814. Cathryn Lee b. 9 OCT 1949 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. (St. Mary's Hospital).
- 815. Ursula m. Garrit Boeskoal.
- 816. Inez m. Clarence Riegel.
- 817. Samuel m. Katherine Puff.
- 818. Erma m. Roy Towne.

Donald Coburn's occupation at time of marriage was given as barber. Carroll was then employed as a factory worker.

494. MARGURITE ZANONA COBURN (James H., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 JAN 1921 Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of James H. Coburn and Leafie Miller m/1 prob. c.1940 Palmer Peterson b. c.1898; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname PETERSON)

+819. Christine Mae b. 18 JAN 1941.

+820. Moreen Adell b. 11 JUL 1946.

Zanona, as she prefers to be known, m/2 Forest Kelly; no other information given.

495. MERRICK E. COBURN (James H., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 APR 1922 White Cloud, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 19 NOV 1980 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. bur. Sherman Twp. Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of James H. Coburn and Leafie Miller m. 24 NOV 1945 at Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. Betty Jane Gater b. 15 SEP 1926 Weed, Siskiyou Co., California dau. of Frank Gater and Agnes Stanford.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+821. Paulette Jane b. 1 MAR 1950.

822. Frances Karen b. 14 APR 1953 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Merrick Coburn served during WWII in the U.S. Navy. In occupation, he is a roofer.

496. ALFRED STEVENS (Agnes, Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 JUN 1913 Wooster, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 3 MAR 1970 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. bur. Fairplain Cem., Grand Rapids, Mich. s. of Bert Stevens and Agnes V. Coburn m. 15 JUN 1937 at Grand Rapids, Mich. Betty Ambrose b. 6 AUG 1916 Grand Rapids, Mich. dau. of William Ambrose and Isabell Toles.

Children: (Surname STEVENS)

823. Wilfred b. 5 DEC 1938 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. m. Laverne

- - - -.

824. Terrence b. 3 NOV 1949 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. m. Kimberly Osborn.

Alfred Stevens is a welder in occupation.

497. DONALD STEVENS (Agnes, Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 OCT 1915 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. d. 1966 California s. of Bert Stevens and Agnes V. Coburn m/1 1940 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. Margaret Lewis dau. of - - - - Lewis and Nora - - - -.

Children: (Surname STEVENS)

825. Donald Stevens.

826. Karen A. Stevens.

Donald m/2 Wanda - - - -; no further details given.

Children: (Surname STEVENS)

827. Anna Marie.

498. LYMAN STEVENS (Agnes, Ella., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 AUG 1917 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. s. of Bert Stevens and Agnes V. Coburn m. 6 JAN 1938 at Grand Rapids, Mich. Irene Rose Kopenski b. 27 MAR 19-- Grand Rapids, Mich.; her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname STEVENS)

+828. Lary b. 20 JUL 1938.

In occupation, Lyman Stevens has been a die maker. His military service consisted of being a member of the National Guard Army Reserves.

499. ALBERTA STEVENS (Agnes V., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 JUL 1932 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. dau. of Bert Stevens and Agnes V. Coburn m. 1950 (Cascade Christian Church) Robert Potter b. 11 AUG 19--; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname POTTER)

829. Leslie b. 22 SEP 1952 m. 4 MAR 1976 Greg Hammond.

830. Robert b. 16 APR 1956 Big Rapids, Mecosta Co., Mich. m. 6 JUN 1979
Glenda - - - -.

831. Abby b. 17 FEB 1962 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

500. EFFIE JEAN STEVENS (Agnes V., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 OCT 1936 dau. of Bert Stevens and Agnes V. Coburn m. 7 SEP 1957 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. Richard James Hakeem b. 2 MAY 1930 Grand Rapids, Mich. s. of Solomon Hakeem and - - - - BenDeKey.

Children: (Surname HAKEEM)

832. (AD) Christina b. 27 FEB 1970 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich.

Richard Hakeem saw Military duty in the U. S. Air Force. In occupation, he is a cost estimator.

501. NADINE LOUISE PIKE (R. Zanona, Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 SEP 1923 Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Frank M. Pike and R. Zanona Coburn m. 7 SEP 1950 Glendale, Los Angeles Co., Calif. Vern D. Johnson b. 7 FEB 1925 La-Crescenta, Los Angeles Co., Calif. s. of Worth Trahn Johnson and Blanch Hubert.

Children: (Surname JOHNSON)

833. Kay Louise b. 8 NOV 1957 Santa Ana, Orange Co., Calif. m. 19 JUN 1982 at Portland, Multnomah Co., Oregon Eric Dennis Hendrick.

Vern Johnson was a member of the U. S. Army with the rank of Sergeant.

502. LEONORA PAULINE PIKE (R.Zanona, Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 31 OCT 1924 Nawaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Frank M. Pike and R. Zanona Coburn m. 8 JUL 1950 Nawaygo Co., Mich. Delmar Eugene Anderson b. 14 FEB 1929 Brady, Lincoln Co., Nebr. s. of Henning Anderson and Alice Sreaves.

Children: (Surname ANDERSON)

- 834. Susan Louise b. 15 NOV 1952 Wembo Nyama, Zaire m. 5 MAR 1982 at Eaton, Weld Co., Colo. Theadore Magnuson.
- +835. Donna Edna b. 25 AUG 1954.
- 836. Alyce Christine b. 23 MAY 1956 Grant, Muskegon Co., Mich. d. 2 JAN 1958 Kayembe, Zaire, Africa bur. Kama, Zaire, Africa (Belgian Congo).
- 837. Constance Jeanne b. 7 APR 1958 Kachungu, Zaire, Africa.
- +838. Dorothy Anne b. 31 AUG 1959.
- 839. Deanna Lynne b. 3 SEP 1963 Boulder, Boulder Co., Colo.

Delmar Anderson is a practicing minister and also has been engaged in the sales field. Church affiliation 1st Evangelical Free Church.

Leonora Anderson is a secretary in occupation.

503. ELSIE ELOISE PIKE (R. Zanona, Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 FEB 1932 Hastings, Barry Co., Mich. dau. of Frank M. Pike and R. Zanana Coburn m. 26 SEP 1953 Nawaygo Co., Mich. James Wasilchenko b. 17 NOV 1926 Nawaygo Co., Mich. s. of Jacob Wasilchenko and Katie Zwaduk.

Children: (Surname WASILCHENKO)

- 840. Dwight James b. 29 DEC 1957 Nawaygo Co., Mich. m. 7 JUL 1979 Vicki K. Pendock b. 26 OCT 1959.
- 841. Patrick Kirby b. 4 OCT 1959 Nawaygo Co., Mich.

In occupation, James Wasilchenko is a farmer. He saw Military duty in the U. S. Army.

504. HELEN MAE COBURN (Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 MAR 1932 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Clyde C. Coburn and Henrietta Ridderman m. 6 OCT 1950 at Muskegon, Mich. Thomas A. Dickson b. at Muskegon, Mich. s. of Thomas Dickson and Josphine Bentiuski.

Children: (Surname DICKSON)

- +842. Nancy Lynn b. 17 APR 1951.
- +843. Janet Sue b. 27 APR 1953.
- 844. Thomas Clyde b. 19 FEB 1955 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich.
- 845. Steven Scott b. 19 DEC 1962 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich.

Thomas Dickson is a newspaper printer in occupation. He served in the U. S. Navy.

505. WILLARD CLARK COBURN (Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 AUG 1933 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Clyde C. Coburn and Henrietta Ridderman m. 2 MAY 1950 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. Camille Forward b. 23 OCT 1931; her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+846. Paula Marie b. 23 SEP 1952.

+847. Cindy Lou b. 7 JUN 1954.

Camille had m/l Thomas Sherwood Jr. and had the following child:
Wendy Ann b. 1949.

506. PATRICIA ANN COBURN (Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 SEP 1935 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Clyde C. Coburn and Henrietta Ridderman m. OCT 1967 New York, NY Charles Jackson Jr., s. of Charles Jackson and - - - Strong.

Children: (Surname JACKSON)

848. Melissa Hull b. 30 JAN 1969 New York, NY.

507. JAMES LEE COBURN (Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 NOV 1940 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. s. of Clyde C. Coburn and Henrietta Ridderman m. 30 AUG 1963 Muskegon, Mich. Annette Lirones dau. of George Lirones and Catherine Chiado.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

849. Christopher James b. 30 JAN 1965 Tucson, Pima Co., Ariz.

850. Jennifer Lee b. 4 JAN 1968 Tucson, Pima Co., Ariz.

508. CHERYL LYNN COBURN (Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 APR 1946 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Clyde C. Coburn and Henrietta Ridderman m. 4 SEP 1965 Muskegon, Mich. Douglas A. Shane b. 29 JUL 1945 San Diego, San Diego Co., Calif. s. of Martin Shane and Lucina Bailey.

Children: (Surname SHANE)

851. Douglas Martin b. 23 APR 1966 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich.

852. David Alan b. 3 OCT 1968 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich.

509. SAMUEL ELL COBURN (Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 JUL 1948 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. s. of Clyde C. Coburn and Henrietta Ridderman m. 22 APR 1972 at Spring Lake, Ottawa Co., Mich. Rebecca Jobin b. 4 OCT 1952 dau. of Jean Jobin and Tishey Wilson.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

853. Jennifer Sue b. 11 SEP 1974 Grand Haven, Ottawa Co., Mich.

854. Justin Lee b. 29 MAY 1977 Grand Haven, Ottawa Co., Mich.

510. BERNICE MILDRED PERRY (Alice Shafer, Susan A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 OCT 1897 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 8 JUL 1934 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Newton J. Perry and Alice Shafer m. 15 APR 1915 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. Walter J. Baker b. 3 SEP 1894 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1971 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of Henry Baker and Anna Koch.

Children: (Surname BAKER)

+855. Ethelyn.

856. Alice m. (Carl?) White. Res. South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Ind.

857. William Henry b. 8 MAY 1922 DeKalb Co., Ind.

Walter Baker was a groceryman in occupation.

After the death of his first wife, Walter m/2 16 JUL 1935 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. O. B. Noren Mabel Ruth Myers b. 29 MAR 1899 at Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Henry T. Myers and Francis Thompson. Mabel's occupation is given as a practical nurse. She had married twice previously, the first having been terminated by death 13 SEP 1932; her second husband was - - - - Clement from whom she was divd. 18 MAR 1935.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., July 12, 1934.

Bernice Mildred Perry, was born October 2, 1897 in Newville Township, DeKalb County, and passed away July 8, 1934 at her home in Spencerville, aged 36 years, 9 months and 6 days. She was the oldest of the family of three children born to Newton and Alice Perry. She was united in marriage to Walter Baker on April 12, 1935 and to this union were born three children, Ethelyn, Alice and William.

She is survived by her father, Newton Perry, of Fort Wayne; two brothers, Wilbur Perry, of Fort Wayne, and Virgil Perry, of Kalamazoo, Michigan; her husband, Walter Baker; the three children, and hosts of friends who had learned to love her beautiful Christian spirit.

511. VIRGIL PERRY (Alice Shafer, Susan A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 JUN 1901 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Newton J. Perry and Alice Shafer m. 15 OCT 1954 Marguerite Leighty dau. of M. E. Leighty.

Children: (Surname PERRY)

+858. Patricia Mae b. 20 JUL 1925.

+859. Betsy Ann b. 25 OCT 1930.

Virgil Perry married a second time but nothing further is known about the termination of the first marriage nor the name of his second wife. It is known that afterward Virgil removed to California.

512. WILBUR R. PERRY (Alice Shafer, Susan A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 MAR 1905 d. 23 MAY 1976 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co.,

Ind. s. of Newton J. Perry and Alice Shafer m. Evelyn E. - - - - b. 1908 (g.s.)
d. 1973 (g.s.) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname PERRY)

860. Dolores m. - - - - Peters. Res. Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Obituary: Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; Mon., May 24, 1976.

Former County Highway Head Dies at Age 71. Wilbur R. Perry, 71, a former director of the Allen County Highway Department, died 1:30 p.m. Sunday in Parkview Memorial Hospital where he had been admitted Saturday. A native of St. Joe,, he had resided in Fort Wayne 60 years and was a veteran of World War 1. Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Dolores Peters, Fort Wayne.

Mr. Perry was a member of Huntertown Lodge 689, F&AM, the Scottish Rite, Mizpah Shrine Temple, Eagles Aerie 248 and American Legion Post 499.

Burial will be in Alton Cemetery, St. Joe. Services by Huntertown Lodge, F&AM.

513. VIVIAN MASON (Leona Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 24 JUL 1913 DeKalb Co., Ind. AD dau. of Claude E. Mason and Leona Wilmot m.
28 NOV 1929 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. LaVon Murphy s. of Samuel Murphy.

Children: (Surname MURPHY)

861. Raymond LaVon b. 25 JUN 1931. Unm. MAR 1970.

862. Claude Edward Jr. b. 3 MAY 1933.

863. Richard b. 27 AUG 1934.

864. Coral Jene b. 19 FEB 1937; understood to have married but no further information.

+865. Grace Jeanette b. 24 AUG 1938.

866. Robert Lee b. 6 JUL 1940.

867. Charles Wesley b. 24 JUL 1942.

Vivian Mason was the daughter of James Wesley Kimes and Zelma Wilmot adopted by her aunt Leona (Wilmot) Mason.

Vivian m/2 Orville Platt but no further details are known of this marriage.

515. HAROLD J. JENKINS (Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 FEB 1898/99 s. of Ernest Jenkins and Edna Wilmot m. 18 SEP 1917 DeKalb Co., Ind. Orgie A. Wise; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname JENKINS)

+868. Deloris b. 21 APR 1918.

+869. Laurel b. 4 MAY 1921.

870. Frank Allen b. c.SEP 1937 Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.

518. KENNETH JENKINS (Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 JUN 1903 s. of Ernest L. Jenkins and Edna Wilmot m. 19 MAY 1920 Velma Lorine Gordon d. 30 APR 1926 dau. of Walter Gordon and Anna Newbauer.

Children: (Surname JENKINS)

+871. Gwenevere b. 8 OCT 1921.

520. MERRILL W. JENKINS (Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 SEP 1907 d. 2 DEC 1944 WWII (European Theatre) s. of Ernest L. Jenkins and Edna S. Wilmot m. 24 SEP 1925 Velma Ruth Stafford b. 2 OCT 1902 DeKalb Co., Ind.; her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname JENKINS)

872. Marguerite Marcelle b. 10 MAY 1926 d. 26 MAY 1926 DeKalb Co., Ind.

A delayed funeral service was held for Pvt. Merrill W. Jenkins in DEC 1947 with burial in the Roselawn Cem., Auburn, Ind. following full military rites by the Fort Wayne American Legion Post 82.

521. FLORENCE JENKINS (Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 MAR 1911 d. 26 DEC 1941 bur. Woodlawn Cem., Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Ernest L. Jenkins and Edna Wilmot m. 7 JUN 1927 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Ira C. Boyts, min. Church of Christ to Arden Casselman; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CASSELMAN)

+873. Edward Leroy b. 6 OCT 1929.

874. Jack Eugene b. 3 NOV 1935 DeKalb Co., Ind.

Arden Casselman is understood to have m/2 but no further details are known.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., Jan. 1, 1942.

Florence Casselman Dies of Tuberculosis. Mrs. Florence Casselman of St. Joe, age 30, died at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Irene Byron Satatorium near Huntertown. She had been suffering from tuberculosis for two years. She had been removed to the sanatorium on Friday and died two hours after her admittance.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Edna Jenkins, and two sons, age 6 and 12 years. She was born at Auburn, Indiana.

522. FRANCES H. JENKINS (Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 OCT 1913 dau. of Ernest L. Jenkins and Edna Wilmot m.

10 AUG 1929 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Ira C. Boyts, min. Church of Christ at Auburn, Indiana LeRoy Barnthouse; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname BARNTHOUSE)

+875. Loren Irven b. 20 APR 1930.

Frances m/2 Fred Thoms c.1940 and removed to Dearborn, Michigan.

523. HILDA KIMES (Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 2 JUN 1902 dau. of Wesley Kimes and Zelma D. Wilmot m. 21 OCT 1925 George
E. Zoller who d. 25 JAN 1958; his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname ZOLLER)

+876. Victor b. 15 AUG 1925.

+877. Robert b. 1 JUL 1926.

+878. Lowell b. 23 JAN 1936.

524. EMILY KIMES (Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 26 MAR 1904 dau. of J. Wesley Kimes and Zelma D. Wilmot m. 11 JUN 1939
Russell Flaugh; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname FLAUGH)

+879. June Delores b. 7 MAY 1940.

880. Joyce Ann b. 9 AUG 1941. Unm. MAR 1970.

525. MARY KIMES (Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 31 AUG 1906 d. 12 APR 1952 dau. of J. Wesley Kimes and Zelma D. Wilmot (under-
stood to have been AD by Rev. and Mrs. Potts and to have been called Elizabeth)
m. Albert Olson; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname OLSON)

+881. Beverly Jean b. 10 NOV 1935.

+882. Barbara Lee b. 5 JUL 1939.

Mary m/2 in 1951 Abram Richert but nothing further is known about this marriage.

526. EDWARD KIMES (Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 28 MAY 1909 s. of J. Wesley Kimes and Zelma D. Wilmot m. 28 JAN 1932 Eloise
M. Murnan; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname KIMES)

+883. Mary Ellen b. 2 SEP 1933.

884. Marjory Ann b. 18 APR 1940.

527. ROSE WILMOT (Hayden Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn)
b. 8 AUG 1903 dau. of Wm. Hayden Wilmot and Belle Meskill m/1 18 FEB 1923 Louis
Gaugue; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname GIAGUE)

+885. Joseph Hayden b. 24 JAN 1923.

In 1943, this family was living at Pioneer, Ohio.

Rose Giague m/2 on 8 FEB 1952 Ernest Ketrow.

528. ELVA WILMOT (Wm. Hayden Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JAN 1905 d. 20 FEB 1966 dau. of Wm. Hayden Wilmot and Belle Meskill m. 11 JUL 1928 Delbert Dusing b. c.1905 d. 21 SEP 1938 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) bur. Greenlawn Memorial Park, Fort Wayne, Ind.; his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname DUSING)

+886. Arthur Dale b. 1 JAN 1929.

887. Donna Lee (twin) b. 24 OCT 1935 m. - - - - Phlueger. Res.
(1983) Fort Wayne, Ind.

+888. Donald Lee (twin) b. 24 OCT 1935.

Obituary: Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette; Thurs., Sept. 22, 1983.

Delbert I. Dusing, 78, of Fort Wayne, died at 1:15 p.m. Wednesday in Lutheran Hospital. A native of Bunker Hill, Mr. Dusing had retired in 1975 as office manager with Gulf Oil Co., after 44 years service. Surviving are two sons, Dale A., of Fort Wayne, and Donald Lee, of Phoenix, Ariz.; a daughter, Donna Lee Phlueger, of Fort Wayne; and two sisters, Grace Binkerd and Mary Bennett, both of Bunker Hill. Burial will be in Greenlawn Memorial Park.

529. CARLTON RAY WILMOT (George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 21 NOV 1913 s. of George G. Wilmot and Opal W. Poper m. 20 DEC 1939 Ruth Naomi Church b. 10 DEC 1919 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William J. Church and Rosa B. Parinan.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

889. (AD) Robert Dwayne b. 19 OCT 1947 m. AUG 1973 Fay Hamrick who
d. 2 JAN 1981. No issue.

+890. (AD) Carl Allen b. 28 OCT 1948.
(the two adopted sons are full brothers.)

Family residence at Grabill, Allen Co., Indiana.

530. KEITH LAVERE WILMOT (George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 MAY 1916 s. of George G. Wilmot and Opal W. Poper m. 9 MAY 1938 Joyce Lorraine Sherck b. 1 DEC 1918 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 20 SEP 1968 dau. of Calvin C. Sherck and Cora E. Street.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

- +891. Janet Arlene b. 19 SEP 1938.
- +892. Judy Elaine b. 8 FEB 1940.
- +893. Jimmy Keith b. 6 JUL 1941.

After the death of his first wife, Keith m/2 20 MAR 1969 Pauline Decker.

531. IRIS WINONA WILMOT (George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 MAR 1920 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George G. Wilmot and Opal W. Poper m. 12 AUG 1939 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. and divd., then re-m. C.1940 and again divd. Keith Eldon Stairhime b. 6 JUN 1919 Monroeville, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Jacob Stairhime and Ada R. Emenhiser.

Children: (Surname STAIRHIME)

- +894. Jerry Duwayne b. 19 JUL 1940.

Keith Stairhime m/3 Daisy Carper and divd; m/4 Mildred Neuhouser and divd; m/5 Erma Oakley and divd. His occupation operating engineer in construction work.

Iris Stairhime m/2 19 NOV 1966 George L. Bruggencate who is now deceased. She resided at Angola, Indiana but is now located near St. Joe, Indiana.

532. HAROLD DAVID WILMOT (George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 AUG 1925 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of George G. Wilmot and Opal W. Poper m. 6 JUN 1950 by Rev. Ralph E. Bruce Alice Lou Thomas b. 22 MAY 1927 Corunna, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William L. Thomas and Livonia Zonker.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

- 895. Sandra Kay b. 20 APR 1952.
- 896. Jon Alan b. 20 JUN 1953.
- 897. Michael Duane b. 26 JUL 1957.

Harold Wilmot is a machinist in occupation.

536. MARY PAULINE DONLEY (Mary Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 APR 1920 dau. of Fred Donley and Mary L. Wilmot m. 9 APR 1940 Kenneth M. Butler; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname BUTLER)

- 898. Kenneth Lee b. 30 SEP 1946.
- 899. Barbara Jean b. 16 MAR 1949.
- 900. Joseph Harold b. 15 MAR 1951.
- 901. Linda Sue b. 12 MAR 1953.
- 902. Sandra Kay b. 10 APR 1955.
- 903. Debra Elaine b. 13 MAR 1957.
- 904. Pamela Arlene b. 18 AUG 1959.

This family resided at Elkhart, Indiana.

537. FLORENCE RUTH DONLEY (Mary L. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 MAR 1922 dau. of Fred Donley and Mary L. Wilmot m. 8 FEB 1944 Frank H. Porter; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname PORTER)

- 905. Fred Charles b. 2 JAN 1949.
- 906. Corrine Anne b. 29 JUL 1953.
- 907. Christine Joann b. 14 MAR 1956.
- 908. Imogene Luanne b. 12 AUG 1957.

538. ZELMA MAE DONLEY (Mary L. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 SEP 1923 dau. of Fred Donley and Mary L. Wilmot m. 2 NOV 1942 James Franklin Wilks b. 1912 d. 17 JUL 1949 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of George Wilks and Rose Arnold.

Children: (Surname WILKS)

- 909. Rosella Mae b. 17 MAY 1943; reportedly married but no further information.
- 910. Ronald James b. 21 AUG 1948.

Zelma Wilks m/2 27 OCT 1950 Edgar Lasher; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname LASHER)

- 911. Edna Louise b. 14 NOV 1951.
- 912. Wilma Irene b. 23 JUL 1954.

539. LUCILLE LOOMIS (Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 MAR 1901 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio d. OCT 1980 dau. of Henry E. Loomis and Ruby Estella Coburn m. 25 DEC 1928 Cecil B. Delph b. 12 JUL 1894 d. 5 JUN 1961; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname DELPH)

- +913. Wilbur E. b. 11 DEC 1929.
- +914. Jane Louise b. 5 APR 1932.
- +915. Robert Ray b. 8 MAY 1934.
- +916. James Edward b. 5 SEP 1936.

540. LULU MAE LOOMIS (Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1903 m. Loyal Calvin Fisher b. 1905 d. 1940 Farmer, Defiance Co., Ohio; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FISHER)

- 917. Marjorie b. 1928 m. Orva W. Reiter.

Lulu Fisher resides at Tiffin, Ohio.

541. ALMA LORRAINE LOOMIS (Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 JAN 1906 dau. of Henry E. Loomis and Ruby Estella Coburn m. Ben Franklin Romberger; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ROMBERGER)

+918. Bernice Ann b. 1936.

919. Alice Emilie b. 1937 m. - - - - Leibengood.

542. AGATHA COBURN (Earl, Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 NOV 1903 dau. of Earl Leroy Coburn and Jessie Freeburn m/1 24 OCT 1921 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. and divd. Floyd Clark Roberts b. 1901 d. FEB 1951 bur. Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Clark Roberts and Daisy Dean.

Children: (Surname ROBERTS)

+920. Dorothy Jean b. 26 AUG 1923.

+921. Jessie b. 25 JAN 1926.

+922. Richard Lee b. 13 JUN 1928.

Agatha Roberts m/2 30 OCT 1942 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. Kenneth Wasson b. 3 OCT 1910 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 11 DEC 1964 Wilmington Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Wallace Wasson and Eva - - - -.

Children: (Surname WASSON)

+923. Glenda Gay b. 1 SEP 1941.

+924. Harold D. b. 8 JUN 1943.

+925. Sue Ann b. 16 JUN 1944.

926. Thomas Wallace b. 26 DEC 1945 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital). Unm. Asst. manager of a custom shirt shop in Chicago, Illinois (NOV 1981).

Kenneth Wasson was engaged in trucking occupation.

545. VICTOR GLEN (JOHN) COBURN (Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 JUN 1910 d. 18 JUN 1977 (heart failure) bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Earl Leroy Coburn and Jessie Freeburn m. 4 NOV 1933 Ila LaVern Monroe b. 30 JUL 1914 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of William Monroe and Hazel Henly.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+927. William Glen b. 25 JUN 1934.

+928. Leatrice Joy b. 4 JUL 1936.

+929. Calvin Grant b. 4 JUL 1938.

John Coburn, as he was most commonly known, was a student at Purdue University in Lafayette, Ind. in January, 1930 when he suffered the loss of a foot as a

result of attempting to ride a freight train. The story prevailed that he had been blindfolded and taken into the country during a fraternity initiation hazing stunt and he had hopped a freight hoping that it would take him back to Lafayette; however, upon reaching the city of Peru, Indiana he realized that he was heading in the wrong direction and tried to get off of the train, slipping in the process so one foot was caught under a wheel of the car and it was so badly crushed that it had to be amputated.

In occupation, John was employed by the Dana Corporation at Fort Wayne, Indiana in tool maintenance. Family residence was in St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. where his widow still lives. She operated since 1964 a doll hospital at the family home.

546. ROBERT BLAINE (MUTT) COBURN (Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 JUL 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Earl Leroy Coburn and Jessie Freeburn m. 28 SEP 1932 at Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. (M. E. Parsonage) by Rev. Ernest Lewellyn to Ruth Schrader b. 8 MAY 1912 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Edward C. Schrader and Daisy Keller.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+930. Carol Jean b. 26 FEB 1933.

+931. Charlotte Ann b. 3 SEP 1940.

In occupation, Robert Coburn was a machine operator employed by Warner Gear Div., Auburn, Indiana until taking retirement in 1973. The family residence is located in Concord Twp., about one mile west of St. Joe. Ind.

547. ORVILLE RAY (BABE) COBURN (Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 APR 1916 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Earl Leroy Coburn and Jessie Freeburn m. 21 SEP 1938 at Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. Esther Lorraine Richards b. 23 DEC 1917 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Romeo Emanuel Richards and Nellie Josephine Warner.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+932. Suzanne b. 19 JUL 1946.

+933. Kay Lynn b. 27 JUL 1956.

Orville Coburn served 30 months in the U. S. Navy during WWII (1943-1945) as a range finder aboard the destroyer vessel USS Trumpeter.

In occupation he engaged in the appliance maintenance trade and also operated an appliance store in Grabill, Ind. for five years.

Family residence is at St. Joe, Indiana.

549. GEAROLD CALVIN WADE (Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 DEC 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Stearl E. Wade and Delphia

I. Coburn m. 12 OCT 1933 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio Lucille Gingrich b. 9 JUN 1908 near Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Ward Gingrich and Daisy Pearl Osmun. Gearold d. 26 JAN 1974 at Defiance Co., Ohio and is bur. in Lost Creek Cem., near Hicksville, Ohio.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+934. Ann b. 5 MAR 1936.

Gearold Wade founded and operated a marine products manufacturing company (boat fittings, etc.) located at Syracuse, Indiana. After his death, Lucille has continued to operate this firm.

Family residence maintained near Hicksville, Ohio.

551. IRENE HELEN WADE (Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JUL 1920 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Stearl E. Wade and Delphia I. Coburn m/1 16 JAN 1936 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. and divd. JAN 1959 Kenneth Creager b. 3 OCT 1914 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ray Creager and Mary Cherry.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

+935. Richard Wayne b. 29 AUG 1936.

+936. Jerry Dean b. 15 SEP 1942.

+937. William Gene b. 3 SEP 1944.

+938. Roger Dale b. 1 JAN 1948.

Irene Creager m/2 on 7 DEC 1970 Jack W. Carter b. 10 FEB 1929 New York, NY s. of William Carter and Eileen Kukluk. No issue of this second marriage.

Jack Carter's occupation is in sheet metal construction. Family residence is located at Warren, Mich. with a summer home on Hamilton Lake, Hamilton, Ind.

553. DONALD HARRY WADE (Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 NOV 1925 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Stearl E. Wade and Delphia I. Coburn m. 21 OCT 1956 Monroe, Monroe Co., Mich. Violet Everly b. 13 FEB 1923 W. Va. dau. of Frank Everly and Eva Butcher.

Children: (Surname WADE)

939. Donna b. 5 OCT 1957 near Edgerton, Williams Co., Ohio.

940. Tommy b. 8 FEB 1959 near Edgerton, Williams Co., Ohio.

941. Becky stillborn 23 JAN 1962 Bryan, Williams Co., Ohio (Cameron Mem. Hospital).

Donald Wade farms 80 acres of land on property that formerly was the home of his parents. He is also employed by Auburn Clutch Div. at Auburn, Ind.

554. WALTER LEROY LAKE (Bessie Abel, Louise, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 JUN 1902 Branch, Mason Co., Mich. s. of Charles J. Lake and Bessie M. Abel

m. 9 FEB 1923 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. Ethel W. Wenk b. 9 APR 1903 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Emiel E. Wenk and Antoinette Knudsen.

Children: (Surname LAKE)

+942. Ethel Antoinette b. 7 APR 1936.

Walter Lake was employed by the Pennsylvania RR as an engineer until retiring in 1976 and resided until that time in Fort Wayne, Indiana. He then acquired the farm property which formerly belonged to his grandparents Wallace and Nettie (Coburn) Abel and this is where he now resides.

Walter and Ethel Lake are long-time breeders of champion stock Schipperke dogs, having for years shown their dogs in shows across the country and reaping many awards. They still maintain this activity because of their established reputation and demand for dogs from their blood lines but, of course, their participation in shows has largely been curtailed.

555. GLEN IVAN LAKE (Bessie Abel, Louisa, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 APR 1908 Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Charles J. Lake and Bessie M. Abel m/1 26 NOV 1936 New Haven, Allen Co., Ind. June Swihart b. 26 MAR 1913 Huntington, Huntington Co., Ind. dau. of Floyd Swihart and Minnie Miller. June d. 22 SEP 1966.

Children: (Surname LAKE)

+943. David Allen b. 27 DEC 1940.

+944. Charles Michael b. 3 MAY 1945.

+945. Kathleen Ann b. 18 OCT 1950.

After the death of his first wife, Glen Lake m/2 2 AUG 1969 Margaret Hankins dau. of Frank E. Hankins and Grace J. Wykle. No issue of this marriage. Margaret had married first Clyde A. Bailey who d. 1966; no issue.

Glen Lake practiced dentistry in New Haven, Ind. all his career (now retired) and always has resided with his family at this location.

557. KENNETH VANCE TOMLINSON (Blanche Abel, Louise, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 APR 1907 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. so. of Samuel L. Tomlinson and Blanche G. Abel m. 29 SEP 1928 at St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. by S. R. Aldrich, Christian min. of St. Joe, Ind. to Leona L. Scott b. 25 SEP 1909 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Henry Scott and Lulu Wyatt.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

+946. Betty Elaine b. 27 JAN 1930.

Until taking his retirement, Kenneth Tomlinson was the owner of the firm Hulbert & Tomlinson in Hicksville, Ohio dealing in hay and straw and farm building materials. The family residence always has been maintained at this location.

558. KEITH CHARLES TOMLINSON (Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 MAY 1911 s. of Samuel L. Tomlinson and Blanche G. Abel m. 4 JUL 1931 Lillian Elizabeth Hanna b. 24 MAY 1912 Mark Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Fay N. Hanna and Wealtha G. Kisabeth.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

- +947. Dorothy Ilene b. 8 DEC 1934.
- +948. Larry Lee b. 25 JAN 1938.
- +949. Donald Rae b. 3 AUG 1941.

Family church affiliation Church of Christ. Residence at Hicksville, Ohio.

559. RONALD LEROY TOMLINSON (Blanche G. Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 SEP 1913 s. of Samuel L. Tomlinson and Blanche G. Abel m. 17 NOV 1932 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. Kathryn Elizabeth Olds b. 19 DEC 1914 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of James Ernest Olds and Clarissa Cordelia Poper.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

- +950. Janice Kay b. 26 DEC 1939.
- +951. Deanna Lea b. 7 MAY 1943.
- +952. Ronna Sue b. 10 FEB 1946.
- 953. Jo Ella b. 18 MAR 1953 m/1 Bradley Kite m/2 - - - - Hart.

Ronald Tomlinson served during WWII in the U.S. Navy (APR 1944/19 JAN 1946), received boot camp training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station and attended Radio Tech. School; attained rank of Seaman 1st Class. He was stationed in Okinawa and at the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

Ronald is owner of an importing firm, Drive Line Industries, at Garden Grove, California. He also owns a firm in Hawaii engaged in this business.

The family church affiliation is Church of Christ. Residence at Garden Grove, California.

560. ROBERT LYNN TOMLINSON (Blanche G. Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 DEC 1919 d. 2 SEP 1978 bur. Akron, Ohio s. of Samuel L. Tomlinson and Blanche G. Abel m. 15 FEB 1946 Leota Bauder b. 31 OCT 19-- d. 16 MAY 1979 bur. Akron, Ohio; her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

- +954. Terry Lynn b. 17 SEP 1949.
- 955. Gary Lee b. 25 FEB 1952 m. 29 OCT 1977 Terry Marie (she m. previously and has dau. Shannon). Residence at Mogadore, Ohio.

561. LOIS JEAN TOMLINSON (Blanche G. Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 JUL 1927 dau. of Samuel L. Tomlinson and Blanche G.

Abel m. 14 FEB 1947 Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Church of Christ) Harry Leslie Strong b. 27 MAY 1925 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of George Leslie Strong and LuReign Thomas.

Children: (Surname STRONG)

+956. Leslie Thomas b. 26 JAN 1948.

+957. Mark Lavon b. 26 JUL 1950.

958. Kent Devon b. 6 APR 1956 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) m. 28 JUN 1975 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. (Coburn's Corners Church of Christ) Sue Barkman b. 9 NOV 1956 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Samuel Barkman Jr. and Barbara Joan Brinker.

959. Keith Randall b. 8 APR 1961 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital)

Harry Strong is a farmer in occupation.

Family residence near St. Joe, Ind. Church affiliation Church of Christ.

562. HAROLD WAYNE McNABB (Gladys C. Abel, Louisa A., William, Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 JUL 1917 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of William Dale McNabb and Gladys C. Abel m/1 in the State of Washington and divd. Ethel O'Hara.

Harold McNabb m/2 on 6 OCT 1950 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (M.E. Church) by Rev. Dale Stackhouse to Gladys Ilene Leiter b. 23 JAN 1927 LaOtto, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Clarence S. Leiter and Pearl Edith Wood.

Children: (Surname McNABB)

+960. Deborah Jane b. 21 AUG 1953.

+961. Steven W. b. 14 JUL 1955.

Until 1981, Harold's family resided at Coloma, Michigan where he was long engaged in the sale and distribution of electronics products. Retiring then from this business, he removed with his wife to Garrett, Indiana in order to be near his aging mother.

567. PATRICIA ANN COBURN (William H., Ezra L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) dau. of William H. Coburn and Suzanne A. Hager m. John Consiglio.

Children: (Surname CONSIGLIO)

962. John.

963. Joseph.

964. Don.

568. CYNTHIA JANE COBURN (William H., Ezra L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 JUL 1941 St. Louis, Mo. dau. of William H. Coburn and

Suzanne A. Hager m. 20 AUG 1966 St. Louis Mo. to Richard L. Muth b. 9 JUL 1940 St. Louis, Mo. s. of Donat Lewis Muth and Lillian Mooney.

Children: (Surname MUTH)

- 965. Suzanne b. 4 JUN 1967 St. Louis, Mo. d. 2 JUN 1969.
- 966. Richard Donat b. 9 DEC 1969 St. Louis, Mo.
- 967. Cynthia Jane b. 9 JUL 1971 St. Louis, Mo.
- 968. Elizabeth Ann b. 9 JAN 1973 St. Louis, Mo.
- 969. Mary Catherine b. 7 APR 1975 St. Louis, Mo.
- 970. Susan Marie b. 28 MAR 1978 St. Louis, Mo.
- 971. James William b. 3 OCT 1981 St. Louis, Mo.

Richard Muth is a school principal and Cynthia Jane is a teacher. The family resides at St. Louis, Mo. Church affiliation Catholic.

569. MARY ELIZABETH COBURN (William H., Ezra L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. prob. at St. Louis, Mo. dau. of William H. Coburn and Suzanne A. Hager m. William Moran.

Children: (Surname MORAN)

- 972. Michelle.
- 973. Julie.
- 974. Billy.
- 975. Cathy.
- 976. John.

570. SUZANNE COBURN (William H., Ezra L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. prob. at St. Louis, Mo. dau. of William H. Coburn and Suzanne A. Hager m. Paul Jeannot.

Children: (Surname JEANNOT)

- 977. Paula.
- 978. Chris.

571. WILLIAM HENRY COBURN JR. (William H., Ezra L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 JUN 1947 St. Louis, Mo. s. of William H. Coburn and Suzanne A. Hager m. 12 JUN 1970 at St. Louis, Mo. Sherry Crain b. 21 DEC 1947 St. Louis, Mo. dau. of Basil V. Crain and Doris Wolff.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 979. Kelly Crain b. 10 OCT 1974 St. Louis, Mo.
- 980. Kevin William b. 9 APR 1977 St. Louis, Mo.
- 981. Kristine Crain b. 9 MAR 1979 St. Louis, Mo.

Sherry Coburn attended Southeast Missouri State University grad. with B.S. degree in Elementary Education. She is employed as a teacher. Her church affiliation Lutheran.

William (Bill) Coburn attended Southeast Missouri State University and grad. with B.S. degree in Business Administration. He also attended Webster College at Webster Groves, Mo. where he obtained his MBA degree. He is employed as a sales administration manager. Church affiliation Catholic.

William was drafted into the Military in 1970 and received an honorable discharge in 1972 with the rank E-5.

This family resides at Manalapan, N. J.

578. VINCENT REXFORD WADE (Victor R. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 DEC 1914 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. s. of Victor R. Wade and Florence Donovan m. 2 MAY 1936 at Petoskey, Mich. Lorna G. Sears b. 25 SEP 1915 Petoskey, Mich. dau. of Reuben A. Sears and Loretta M. Coveyou.

Children: (Surname WADE)

982. Margaret Esther b. 26 AUG 1937 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. m. 15 APR 1972 at Hale, Iosco Co., Mich. (St. Pius X Catholic Church) James D. Clark b. 14 DEC 1938 Flint, Mich. s. of Wilbur Douglas Clark and Virginia Elinor Allen. No issue. James Clark is part owner of Tri-County Construction Co. and works for the firm as a carpenter. Margaret attended Nazareth College nr. Kalamazoo, Mich. grad. 1959 with B.S. degree in Biology and Teaching Certificate. She taught one year and then entered St. Joseph Hospital School of Medical Technology, grad. 1961; joined the staff at St. Joseph Hospital until 1976, followed by employment two years in a clinic.

+983. Alice Leone b. 5 JUL 1939.

+984. Mary Joyce b. 20 JUL 1942.

+985. Charles Leonard b. 6 JUN 1945.

Vincent Wade retired from GM Fisher Body Div. 1 OCT 1972 after 32½ years of service, having held a supervisory position during the last 30 years of his employment. In OCT 1980, he underwent a triple coronary bypass.

Family residence at National City, Michigan. Church affiliation Roman Catholic.

579. CYRIL JOSEPH WADE (Victor R. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 SEP 1917 Petoskey, Emmet Co., Mich. s. of Victor R. Wade and Florence Donovan m. 19 APR 1941 at Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. to Thelma Houk b. 23 JAN 1921 Flint, Mich. dau. of George Houk and Elizabeth - - -.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+986. Dee Ann b. 30 JUN 1942.

+987. Stephen C. b. 28 AUG 1943.

988. Georgeann Marie b. 9 JUL 1945 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. m. 4 JUN 1966 at Flint, Mich. Joseph Medved b. 11 NOV 1945 Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co., Wisc. s. of Frank Frank Medved and Evelyn Frances Poplawski. Joseph is employed by the GM Corp. as Environmental Co-ordinator for their Central Foundry Div. at Saginaw, Michigan.

Cyril Wade was employed until his retirement by the AC Spark Plug Div. of GM Corporation.

Residence is now in Florida upon advice of physician.

580. VICTOR REXFORD FERGUSON (Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 DEC 1911 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. s. of Rexford A. Ferguson and Stella M. Wade m. 10 JUN 1939 at Kalamazoo, Mich. (St. Joseph's Catholic Church) to Clazine VANDERKLEY b. 7 NOV 1916 Hilversum, Netherlands dau. of Peter Cornelius VANDERKLEY and Catherine von Velzen.

Children: (Surname FERGUSON)

- +989. Patricia Ann b. 8 MAR 1940.
- +990. Joan Elaine b. 9 FEB 1942.
- +991. Victor Rexford Jr. b. 5 JAN 1946.
- 992. Ann Marie b. 6 AUG 1951 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.
- 993. Stephen Paul b. 28 APR 1954 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Clazine VANDERKLEY, or Kay as she is commonly known, came to America with her parents in 1926. Before being married, she worked as a sales clerk for J. C. Penney Co.

Victor Ferguson was employed until his retirement in 1975 as a papermaker by the Brown Paper Company.

Family residence is at Parchment, Mich. Church affiliation Catholic.

581. MAXINE LILLIAN FERGUSON (Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 21 JUN 1915 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. m. 12 JAN 1935 at Kalamazoo, Mich. to Kenneth Sackett b. 10 JUN 1911 Kendall, Van Buren Co., Mich. s. of Fred Sackett and Bessie Olmstead.

Children: (Surname SACKETT)

- +994. Ronald Lee b. 18 JAN 1937.
- +995. Linda Rose b. 17 MAY 1941
- +996. Shirley Jean b. 21 MAY 1944.
- +997. Susanne Marie b. 16 MAR 1949.
- +998. Kenneth James b. 9 SEP 1953.

Kenneth Sackett is employed as a machine operator by the Brown Paper Company (formerly the Kalamazoo Vegetable Parchment Co.).

This family resides at Kalamazoo, Michigan. Church affiliation is the Christian Church.

582. ROBERT CARL WADE (Donald C. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 APR 1933 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich. s. of Donald C. Wade and Marion A. Phetteplace m. 27 JAN 1954 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. Barbara Forsythe b. 7 MAR 1935 Ecorse, Wayne Co., Mich. dau. of Emmet Ralph Forsythe and Pauline Nell McBee.

Children: (Surname WADE)

999. Steven Robert b. 21 FEB 1955 Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Mich. Completed degree in Business Law and was employed in the office of Wade, Trim & Assoc. while attending college.
1000. Susan Joyce b. 14 NOV 1957 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich. She completed her Bachelor's degree in Anthropology DEC 1979.

Both children have suffered impaired hearing since birth.

Barbara Wade attended Western Michigan University and Eastern Michigan University, earning a B.S. degree in Special Education in 1966. She is employed as a school teacher.

Robert Wade attended Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, Mich. and the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Mich, and received a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering in 1958 from the latter school. He is a registered Public Engineer.

Family residence at Canton, Michigan. Church affiliation Baptist.

583. WARREN LEE WADE (Donald C. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 NOV 1937 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich. s. of Donald C. Wade and Marion A. Phetteplace m. 16 FEB 1963 and divd. JAN 1976 Janet Nora Heldt b. 18 NOV 1939 dau. of Edward Henry Heldt and Florence Charlotte Hermann.

Children: (Surname WADE)

1001. Debra Charlotte b. 21 DEC 1963 Wayne Co., Mich.
1002. Dianne Elizabeth b. 2 SEP 1967 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Following the divorce of Warren and Janet, daughter Debra lives with her mother while daughter Dianne lives with her father.

Warren Wade m/2 12 AUG 1978 at Norwood, Mich. (Methodist Church) Sharon Kay Bachman b. 7 NOV 1943 Rensselaer, Jasper Co., Ind. dau. of Delos Allen Bachman and Sara Mae Sprowel.

Sharon Bachman m/1 Max Edward Lutz and had the following children, all of whom reside with their mother and husband Warren Wade (Surname LUTZ): Tina, Timothy, Anthony, and Anna, (not formally adopted by Warren Wade). Sharon Bachman m/2 Allan Zickafoose. No issue.

Warren is a high school principal in occupation in Branch Co., Mich. with residence at Coldwater, Mich. Family church affiliation Methodist.

584. CAROL MARION WADE (Donald C. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 APR 1941 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich. dau. of Donald C. Wade and Marion A. Phetteplace m. 10 JUN 1961 Dearborn, Mich. Theodore Emerson (Tad) Minor b. 16 JUL 1940 Otsego, Allegan Co., Mich. s. of Emerson Blake Minor and Eleanor May Blanchard.

Children: (Surname MINOR)

1003. Kenneth Alan b. 14 FEB 1962 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1004. Jeffrey Wayne b. 27 SEP 1966 Midland, Midland Co., Mich.

Theodore Minor attended Western Michigan University 1958-1963 and Eastern Michigan University grad. 1965 B.A. Degree; Central Michigan University grad. 1968 M.S. Degree; University of Wisconsin Ph.D. 1972. A microbiologist in occupation, he was employed by Dow Chemical Co. and then from 1972-1980 was associated with the University of Wisconsin.

Carol Minor received a B.A. degree in Education from Western Michigan University in June, 1963 and taught school until 1968. From 1970 to 1980, she was office manager and administrator at the county mental health center in Madison, Wisc.

The family removed in 1980 from Madison, Wisc. to Traverse Bay, Michigan.

585. MARILYN DORIS WADE (Donald C. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 JUN 1943 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich. dau. of Donald C. Wade and Marion A. Phetteplace m. 20 OCT 1962 Dearborn, Mich. to Charles Thomas Myers b. 11 MAY 1937 Dearborn, Mich. s. of Charles Thomas Myers and Frances McFadden.

Children: (Surname MYERS)

1005. Thomas John b. 25 OCT 1963 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich.

1006. Scott Donald b. 9 JUL 1967 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich.

1007. Sherry Lynn b. 10 MAY 1972 Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich.

Charles Myers is employed as an appliance salesman. He also has served as an insurance adjuster in his father's business.

Marilyn Myers is a trained dental assistant. She attended for a time the Western Michigan University at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

586. LLOYD PAUL COBURN (Lloyd L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 AUG 1918 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 10 JUN 1969 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Lloyd Leroy Coburn and Mayme L. Burlingame m. AUG 1941 Akron, Ohio Denise C. Capps b. 6 NOV 1920 Lucama, Wilson Co., N. C. dau. of George Clarence Capps and Amy Alta Hollopeter.

(Children: (Surname COBURN)

1008. Paul Christopher b. 2 JUN 1945 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.

1009. Denise Leslie b. 18 NOV 1949 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.

1010. Ann Wade b. 14 JUN 1957 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich.
1011. Calvin Craig b. 25 FEB 1959 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich.

Denise Coburn was educated at Case Western Reserve and holds an M.S. degree in Social Science Administration. She is employed as Professor, School of Social Work, Michigan State University at Lansing, Michigan.

Lloyd Coburn was a graduate of Case Western Reserve college at Cleveland, Ohio where he earned Bachelor's, Master's Degrees and Ph.D. doctorate. At the time of his death, he was a professor at Michigan State University, Lansing, Michigan. He died in a plane accident while attending an educator's conference.

Family residence at Okemos, Michigan.

587. JACK WADE WILMOT (Audrey E., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 22 MAR 1938 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. AD s. of Fay A. Wilmot and Audrey E. Coburn m. 14 FEB 1959 Fort Wayne, Ind. Edna McCowen b. 23 SEP 1941 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Gerald Devon McCowen and Edna Helena Karn.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

1012. Tina Marie b. 19 DEC 1959 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. She joined the U.S. Navy 17 APR 1980 and is stationed in Calif.
1013. Terri Marlene b. 6 FEB 1961 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m. 23 JAN 1982 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Coburntown Church of Christ) to Steven Hewitt b. 17 MAY 1961 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Rollend Hewitt and Bonnie Carper. Reside in Florida.
1014. Jack Wade Jr. b. 26 FEB 1962 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. He joined the U.S. Navy JUL 1977; is 3rd Class Yeoman, stationed at Washington, D.C. (Bureau of Naval Personnel).

Jack Wilmot served in the U.S. Navy; 13 years active service (1955-1968), remaining in the Reserved until retiring 1 MAR 1979. After having held various sales positions in electrical and related fields, he is now a Robotics instructor in a technical training school located at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

588. MARTHA ANN COBURN (Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 AUG 1922 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 31 DEC 1941 at Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. by Walter H. Coburn to Orval Gwendol Stanfield b. 15 OCT 1920 Deshler, Henry Co., Ohio s. of Orval S. Stanfield and Florence Opal McMaster. Martha is the dau. of Estel Lee Coburn and Thelma Kiracofe.

Children: (Surname STANFIELD)

- +1015. Max Larry b. 1 OCT 1942.
+1016. Gwendolyn Ann b. 10 JUL 1946.
+1017. Janice Lee b. 8 SEP 1947.
+1018. Michael Lemar b. 14 JUN 1950.

Orval Stanfield served in the U.S. Army and is now disabled.

Martha Stanfield is employed by the B & O Railroad as office secretary fulfilling office duties formerly performed by her uncle William Riley Coburn II.

Residence at Willard, Ohio. Family church affiliation Methodist.

589. BARBARA MAE (BOBBIE) COBURN (Estel L., Harman A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 MAR 1924 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Estel L. Coburn and Thelma Kiracofe m. 24 JAN 1945 at Jacksonville, Duval Co., Fla. Ralph Henry Eggers b. 6 NOV 1922 Andover, Clinton Co., Iowa s. of John J. Eggers and Rosa Jess.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

- +1019. James Ralph b. 17 OCT 1945.
- +1020. Stanley Allen b. 16 MAY 1949.
- +1021. Jeffrey Joe b. 23 AUG 1956.

Ralph Eggers served in the U.S. Navy 1942-1946. Barbara also served in the U.S. Navy 1944-1945.

Family residence at Andover, Iowa. Church affiliation Methodist.

590. WILLIAM RILEY COBURN III (Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 NOV 1926 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Estel Lee Coburn and Thelma Kiracofe m. 17 SEP 1947 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio Dorothy Irene Rager b. 29 AUG 1928 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio dau. of George Charles Rager and Erma A. Rothmann.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 1022. Paul R. b. 22 MAY 1951 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio m. 22 FEB 1975 at Huron, Erie Co., Ohio Suzette Elaine Ritter b. 25 FEB 1953 Sandusky, Erie Co., Ohio dau. of Edward Ritter and Clara Louise Zuver. Paul Coburn is employed as an accountant and Suzette is a Registered Nurse. Residence at Huron, Ohio.
- 1023. Pauline R. b. 22 MAY 1951 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio m. 8 MAR 1975 at Willard, Ohio Dennis W. Edwards.

The above children are twins.

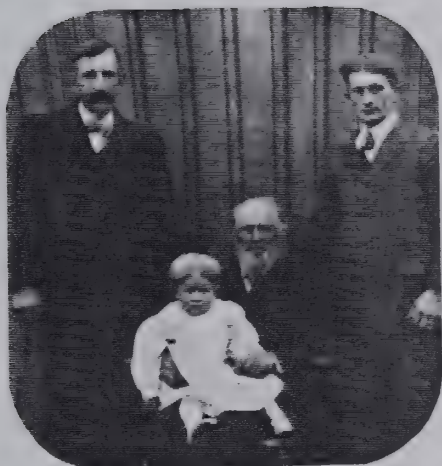
William Coburn is a salesman in occupation and Dorothy is employed as a secretary.

Residence at Willard, Ohio. Church affiliation Methodist.

592. DOUGLAS JACK MILLER (Pauline E., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 JUL 1926 Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Paul E. Miller and Pauline E. Coburn m. 22 SEP 1946 at Hicksville, Ohio Jeanne Marie Laub b. 28 APR 1927 Gettysburg, Adams Co., Penn. dau. of Gordon Carroll Laub and Isabel C. Taylor.



(rear) Calvin L. Coburn, Earl L. Coburn; (front) Alice L., w. of Calvin; Agatha; Jessie, w. of Earl



FOUR GENERATIONS:
William R. Coburn, son Calvin,
g.son Earl, gr.g.dau. Agatha



Estel L. Coburn (#292) fam., L-R:
Joseph, Barbara, wife Thelma,
Estel, Martha, William Riley III

Children: (Surname MILLER)

+1024. Gordon Paul b. 13 MAY 1948.

+1025. Allen Lee b. 30 JUL 1949.

Jack Miller, as he is commonly known, is a farmer in primary occupation; formerly a hog producer and later a grain farmer and truck gardener. He also is employed by ModernAire Corp. of Butler, Ind.

Jeanne Miller is employed as a cashier by Hook Drugs, Inc. of Butler, Ind.

Residence near Butler, Ind. Family church affiliation Church of Christ.

593. PATRICIA ELLEN MILLER (Pauline E., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JUL 1929 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Paul E. Miller and Pauline E. Coburn m. 26 AUG 1951 at Hicksville, Ohio Norman L. Miller b. 17 JUN 1927 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Delmar C. Miller and Addessa Martha Smith.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

1026. David Lynn b. 15 APR 1953 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 13 JUL 1975 at Hicksville, Ohio Sharon L. Rohrs b. 10 FEB 1952 Hicksville, Ohio dau. of Carl Rohrs and Betty Neidhardt. David attended Kent State University grad. 1975 B.S. Degree in Telecommunications; continued education at Ohio Northern University College of Law grad. MAY 1979 J.D. Degree and admitted to the bar in NOV 1979. Sharon also attended Kent State University grad. 1974 B.S. Degree Elementary Education; then attended Ohio Northern University College of Law grad. NOV 1979 J.D. Degree and admitted to the bar in MAY 1980. David and Sharon are engaged in the practice of law at Ada, Ohio where they make their home.

1027. Linda Sue b. 26 OCT 1957 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

1028. Mitchell Lee b. 19 JUN 1970 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Norman Miller is employed as an Inspector for the General Services Administration of the U.S. Government.

Patricia Miller attended Kent State University grad. B.S. Degree in Home Economics. She is employed as a school teacher.

Family residence at Hicksville, Ohio. Church affiliation Church of Christ.

594. NORVAL EUGENE WITHROW (Georgia M., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 MAY 1930 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Norval Withrow and Georgia M. Coburn m/1 and divd. Jacqueline Roberts. He then m/2 Nancy Grass.

Children: (Surname WITHROW)

- 1029. Samuel David b. 7 MAY 1954.
- 1030. Frederick Evan b. 3 SEP 1957.
- 1031. Julie Ann b. 7 JAN 1960.

Norval Withrow m/3 Valerie Jeanne - - - -.

Talented and trained in musical education, Norval taught this subject for a time in the high school at Elkhart, Ind. In 1976, he was living at Ann Arbor, Mich. and later was a member of the staff at Michigan State University at Lansing, Mich. He then relocated to California where he now resides.

Norval served in the U.S. Navy 1952-1954.

595. CAROLYN SUE WITHROW (Georgia M., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 MAY 1934 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Norval Withrow and Georgia M. Coburn m. 30 DEC 1951 Garrett, Ind. to Wayne Michael b. 6 MAY 1930 Muncie, Delaware Co., Ind. s. of Lewis Wilbur Michael and Gladys Dorothy Clark.

(Children: Surname MICHAEL)

- +1032. Alan David b. 16 MAY 1954.
- 1033. Randall Lee b. 24 JAN 1955 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind.
- +1034. Cynthia Sue b. 22 NOV 1956.
- 1035. Mark Steven b. 21 APR 1959 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. FEB 1981 Denise Fry.
- 1036. Thomas O. b. 7 JAN 1969 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich.

Wayne Michael was employed as a draftsman 15 years before entering Great Lakes Bible College at Lansing, Mich., grad. in 1967 with a Bachelor of Sacred Literature Degree. He then entered the ministry and served as pastor at Fayette St. Church of Christ, Hillsdale, Mich.; Church of Christ, Butler, Ind.; Southwest Christian Church, Daytona Beach, Fla. While continuing active participation in ministerial matters, he has since worked as a process engineer at Fostoria, Ohio and in a related field at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The family residence now is at Auburn, Indiana and Carolyn Sue works there as secretary at the mental health center.

600. NELLIE PAULINE BUSZ (Ruth L. Perry, Nellie L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1919 d. 18 AUG 1944 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) dau. of Kenneth Busz and Ruth L. Perry m. 14 DEC 1940 Wayne D. Storer; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname STORER)

- 1037. Inf. dau. b. and d. 12 NOV 1941.
- 1038. Rosalind Ann b. 9 NOV 1942.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., August 24, 1944.

Pauline Storer Dies Suddenly at Hospital. Mrs. Pauline Storer, of St. Joe, wife of Pfc. Wayne D. Storer, who is with the invasion forces in France, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth T. Busz, of one and a half miles north of Garrett, died suddenly and unexpectedly Friday night at 11:30 o'clock at Sacred Heart Hospital in Garrett. Mrs. Storer was 25 years of age and submitted to an operation for appendicitis Aug. 9. She seemed to recover satisfactorily and was to be released from the hospital Saturday. A nurse visited her room about 11:15 Friday night and found her condition normal. A few minutes later she returned and discovered that the patient had expired. The cause of death was embolism.

Mrs. Storer was born in Fort Wayne, March 18, 1919, and the family lived in Garrett many years. She was graduated from Garrett high school in 1937 and was married to Mr. Storer Dec. 14, 1940. He was employed by the Tokheim Co., in Ft. Wayne until he entered the army Feb. 10, 1943. He left for overseas last January.

601. MARY ELAINE BUSZ (Ruth L. Perry, Nellie L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 NOV 1924 dau. of Kenneth Busz and Ruth L. Perry m. 1 DEC 1945 to Robert Roy Platner b. 18 OCT 1924 Trinidad, Las Animas, Colo. s. of James A. Platner and Pearl Marie Swift.

Children: (Surname PLATNER)

- +1039. David Kenneth b. 14 JUN 1947.
- 1040. Diane Elaine b. 5 SEP 1948 m. 1 OCT 1973 at Grass Valley, Nevada Co., Calif. (and sept.) Patrick Carl Kidwell.
- +1041. Paul Robert b. 6 SEP 1951.
- 1042. Pamela Lynette b. 30 DEC 1952 m. 8 JUL 1973 at Grass Valley, Nevada Co., Calif. Walter W. Keintzel.
- 1043. Timothy Thomas b. 6 JUN 1954 San Jose, Santa Clara Co., Calif. m. 2 FEB 1980 at Grass Valley, Nevada Co., Calif. Karen Elizabeth Smith b. 18 JUN 1961 Naha, Okinawa dau. of Robert Eugene Smith and Joan Evelyn Paxton.

Robert and Elaine Platner are owners of the Sierra Stove Shop located at Cedar Ridge, Calif.

602. EULALEE BUSZ (Ruth L. Perry, Nellie L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 SEP 1928 dau. of Kenneth Busz and Ruth L. Perry m. 25 AUG 1951 William Richard Dawson; b. 25 OCT 1928; his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname DAWSON)

- 1044. William Todd b. 10 JUL 1956.
- 1045. Martha Leigh b. 9 JUN 1958.
- 1046. Joel Busz b. 2 APR 1960.
- 1047. Amy Lee b. 10 NOV 1965.
- 1048. Lisa b. 3 JUL 1954 (deceased).

605. LAWRENCE HALBERT HUFF (Ora H., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 MAR 1904 Burton, Geauga Co., Ohio s. of Raymond William Huff and Ora Hattie Coburn m. 29 OCT 1925 Middlefield, Geauga Co., Ohio and divd. Alta Floy Reed b. 20 MAR 1909 Claridon, Geauga Co., Ohio dau. of Frank Reed and Mabel Laraway.

Children: (Surname HUFF)

1049. Lloyd William stillborn 22 FEB 1935 Middlefield, Geauga Co., Ohio.
1050. Richard Lawrence b. 5 SEP 1947 Geneva, Ashtabula Co., Ohio m/1
24 JUN 1966 Parkman, Geauga Co., Ohio and divd. 1977 Donna
Lee Carney. Richard m/2 30 JUN 1977 Marilyn - - - -.
Resides at Boulder, Colo.

Following his divorce in 1962 from his first wife, Lawrence m/2 29 DEC 1962 to Elsie - - -, widow of Dean Anderson.

Lawrence Huff was employed by a rubber company until his retirement. Residence now in Florida.

606. ISABEL IRENE HUFF (Ora H., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 22 OCT 1906 Middlefield, Geauga Co., Ohio dau. of Raymond William Huff and Ora Hattie Coburn m. 25 Nov. 1938 at Covington, Kenton Co., Ky. Arthur Franklin Abel b. 10 MAR 1873; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ABEL)

+1051. Arlene b. 10 AUG 1944.

Arthur Abel m/1 May Young and m/2 Ruth Alice Huff. No issue of either marriage. He was a watchmaker in occupation and resided mainly at Cleveland, Ohio.

Isabel Abel attended Lake Erie College grad. 1927 with BA degree and then studied at Western Reserve College and grad. 1929 with a degree in Library Science. She was a librarian for some period of years at the public library in Cleveland, Ohio. Church affiliation Canadochly Lutheran.

607. BRUCE MERRITT COBURN (Frank M., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 OCT 1909 Maple Grove, Troy Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio s. of Frank M. Coburn and Dicie E. Stearns m. 14 MAR 1936 at Atwater, Portage Co., Ohio to Blanche Irene Eucker b. 17 SEP 1916 Brooklyn Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio dau. of Clarence Ernest Eucker and Agnes Wiersma.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+1052. Norma Jean b. 25 JUL 1936.
+1053. Donald Bruce b. 2 SEP 1939.

608. VIRGIL LEON COBURN (Frank M., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 AUG 1911 Troy Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio s. of Frank M. Coburn and

Dicie E. Stearns m 27 JUL 1933 at Burlet, Butler Co., Pa. to Viola Mae Arnette b. 19 MAR 1913 dau. of Clinton A. Arnette and Bertha Grace Baldwin.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 1054. Carol Ann b. 29 JAN 1934 d. 28 AUG 1945 Ravenna, Ohio (polio) bur. Maple Grove Cem., Ravenna, Ohio.
- 1055. Linda Lee b. 10 OCT 1943 d. 26 MAY 1977 in Calif. m/1 4 OCT 1958 Richard Fisher, m/2 E. Bland, m/3 Harry Rhoads.
- 1056. Christine Ann b. 16 SEP 1948 m/1 - - - -, m/2 12 DEC 1970 Ray Oliver. Res. Ravenna, Ohio.

620. FREDERICK HARMON GEE (Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russel G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 AUG 1905 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of George Sherman Gee and Mary R. Baker m. 30 JAN 1924 DeKalb Co., Ind. Sylvia Marie Stemen b. 4 APR 1905 Van Wert Co., Ohio d. 23 JUN 1972 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Charles A. Stemen and Sarah E. Miller.

Children: (Surname GEE)

- +1057. Betty Jean b. 6 AUG 1924.
- +1058. Frederick Sherman b. 9 JAN 1926.
- +1059. Clarise June b. 2 SEP 1929.
- +1060. Charles Richard b. 6 MAY 1931.
- +1061. (twin) Bernadette Jane b. 23 DEC 1938.
- 1062. (twin) R. B. Wayne b. 23 DEC 1938 d. 18 AUG 1959 Frankfort, Germany (U.S. Army Hospital) while servine in the 42nd Ordnance Co.

Frederick Gee's principal occupation until his retirement was as machine operator employed by Warner Gear Corp. at Auburn, Ind. He resides at Auburn, Ind.

621. MILDRED ELSIE FRANK (Anna Baker, Sarah J., Russel G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 AUG 1903 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of O. Vernon Frank and Anna Baker m. 26 NOV 1926 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio to Amos Elbert Hinks b. 29 JUN 1899 Burke, Franklin Co., NY; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HINKS)

- 1063. William Lloyd b. 6 DEC 1927 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio m. 29 JUN 1951 at Akron, Ohio to Audrey Marilyn - - - -.
- 1064. Elizabeth Ann b. 30 AUG 1929 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio m. 11 JUN 1952 at Akron, Ohio to Lawrence Marinaccio.
- 1065. Donald Ray b. 20 JUL 1932 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio m. 12 FEB 1954 at Akron, Ohio to Joan - - - -. Donald is a minister.

Family residence at Carrollton, Ohio.

622. DeLOSS FRANK (Anna Belle Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 JUN 1905 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Vernon Ora Frank and Anna Belle Baker m. 27 APR 1929 at Akron, Summit Co., Ohio to Florence Amelia Ruch b. 12 MAR 1903 Akron, Ohio dau. of Lorenzo Ruch and Emma Kropf.

(Children: (Surname FRANK)

1066. Judith Elaine b. 6 APR 1935 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio m. 2 MAY 1959 Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio to William Genung.

Family residence at Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

623. JOHN RUSSELL FRANK (Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 SEP 1907 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 23 DEC 1979 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Roselawn Cem., Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of O. Vernon Frank and Anna Belle Baker m. 26 JUL 1932 to Norma Roland b. 29 JUL 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 FEB 1978 Auburn, Ind. bur. Roselawn Cem., Auburn, Ind. dau. of Norman Roland and Lulu Olinger.

Children: (Surname FRANK)

+1067. Jeanne Katherine b. 11 MAR 1933.

+1068. (twin) Sue N. b. 9 JUL 1941.

+1069. (twin) Kay L. b. 9 JUL 1941.

624. HARRIET FRANK (Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 FEB 1909 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of O. Vernon Frank and Anna Belle Baker m. 25 APR 1931 at Akron, Summit Co., Ohio to Harold Dockus b. 3 MAY 1907 Akron, Ohio s. of John Dockus and Elizabeth - - - -.

Children: (Surname DOCKUS)

1070. Elizabeth Joan b. 11 JAN 1932 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio m. 27 JAN 1951 Akron, Ohio to Earl E. Dennison.

1071. Marjorie Ruth b. 4 APR 1937 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio d. 25 JAN 1966 bur. El Paso, Texas m. 18 JAN 1957 at Akron, Ohio to Leroy Barnes.

Harold Dockus was a banker in occupation and Harriet has been a Registered Nurse.

626. CLEON A. FRANK (Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JUN 1913 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 22 APR 1967 Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio s. of O. Vernon Frank and Anna Belle Baker m. 12 OCT 1940 at Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio to Norma Ferguson b. 25 FEB 1917 Eastport, Washington Co., Maine dau. of James Ferguson and Joanna Jones.

Children: (Surname FRANK)

1072. Michael R. b. 30 SEP 1943 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio m. 25 MAY 1973 Kay Ellen Burdette.

1073. Heather b. 25 APR 1945 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio m. 15 JUN 1975 to Gary Parr.
1074. David L. Frank b. 25 MAY 1947. Unm.

In occupation, Cleon Frank was employed as a foreman by the General Tire & Rubber Co..

Residence at Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. Church affiliation Christian Church.

627. MARTHA ELIZABETH FRANK (Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 JUL 1916 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of O. Vernon Frank and Anna Belle Baker m. 28 AUG 1938 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. O. B. Noren to Robert Eugene Meiser b. 19 FEB 1915 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Albert Karl Meiser and Hazel M. Abel.

Children: (Surname MEISER)

- +1075. John Robert b. 13 OCT 1941.
1076. Kathryn Louise b. 22 NOV 1943 Vermilion, Erie Co., Ohio m. and divd. William Decker.
+1076. Richard Eugene b. 21 DEC 1946.
1077. James Frank b. 12 FEB 1952 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio.
1078. Paul Allen b. 8 APR 1955 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio.

In occupation, Robert Meiser was employed until his retirement as a chemical engineer by the B. F. Goodrich Co., He attended Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind. grad. 1939 with BSCE degree.

Residence now at Kerrville, Texas.

629. HAL WADE (Merritt R. Wade, Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 SEP 1916 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. d. 24 MAY 1974 Lansing, Mich. s. of Merritt Russell Wade and Gaylia Hulliberger m. 16 JUN 1939 at Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich. Dorothy Kibbee b. 12 MAR 1918; her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +1079. Hal Jr. b. 31 DEC 1942.
+1080. Cheryl b. 15 NOV 1948.

Hal Wade was a cost engineer in occupation. He served during WWII in the U.S.A.F.

Family residence at Lansing, Michigan. Church affiliation Presbyterian.

630. AUBREY WADE (Merritt R. Wade, Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 JUL 1918 Lansing, Mich. s. of Merritt Russell Wade and Gaylia Hulliberger m. 11 FEB 1938 at Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. and divd. Dorothea Cutshaw b. 18 SEP 1918 Kalamazoo, Mich. dau. of James Cutshaw and Marie - - - -.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- 1081. Steven b. 1 NOV 1945 Plainwell, Allegan Co., Mich.
- 1082. Gaylia b. 25 MAY 1956 Plainwell, Allegan Co., Mich.

Dorothea is a Registered Nurse.

During WWII, Aubrey Wade served in the U.S. Navy as a SeaBee. He is a tool-maker in occupation. Residence at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

631. REX WADE (Merritt R. Wade, Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 AUG 1923 Lake Odessa, Ionia Co., Mich. s. of Merritt Russell Wade and Gaylia Hulliberger m/1 28 JUL 1940 at Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich. to Jean Robertson b. 17 NOV 1921 Hesperia, Mich. d. 16 OCT 1970 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. dau. of Lavern Robertson and Rena Monroe.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +1083. (AD) Vernor b. 29 JAN 1939 Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich. m. Carole E. Herr.
- 1084. David b. 14 MAR 1942 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.
- +1085. Leonard b. 2 SEP 1945.
- 1086. Cynthia b. 7 AUG 1952 m. 2 APR 1982 Robert Ezelle b. 18 JUN 1948 (an orphan, parents unk.)

Following the death of his first wife, Rex m/2 30 JUN 1972 Nancy Slivinski b. 28 JUL 1924 Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio dau. of Stephan Slivinski and Marcella Standish.

Jean (Robertson) Wade had married previously and had son Vernor who was adopted by Rex Wade upon their marriage.

In occupation, Rex Wade was a railroad yardmaster. After retiring from the railroad, Rex removed in 1981 to a farm near Hesperia, Michigan.

Rex served during WWII in the U.S. Navy. Church affiliation Methodist.

634. ANITA BERNICE HART (Henry F. Hart, Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer) b. 22 MAR 1912 Steuben Co., Ind. dau. of Henry F. Hart and Violet M. Morrison m. 26 MAY 1923 Charles Davison Bridgeman b. 14 DEC 1901 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. d. 1 MAY 1977 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. bur. Bloomfield Hills, Mich. s. of Lewis Henry Bridgeman and Nellie Davison.

Children: (Surname BRIDGEMAN)

- 1087. Maxine Irene b. 20 OCT 1925 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. m. 22 NOV 1947 Arthur Ellsworth Summerfield Jr. b. 2 FEB 1922 Flint, Mich.

643. JONATHAN COY HART JR. (Jonathan C. Hart Sr., Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 APR 1906 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Jonathan Coy Hart and Delilah A. Meyers m. 25 FEB 1928 Allen Co., Ind. Norma L. Reas b. 5 AUG 1904 Harrison Co., Ind. dau. of Charles Reas and Anna Amy.

Children: (Surname HART)

- 1088. Anna m. - - - - Brown. Res. Bowling Green, Florida.
- 1089. Marilyn.
- 1090. Kenneth.
- 1091. Charles.

Jonathan Hart (often referred to as John) is understood to have been a contractor of cement work.

647. HENRY LEORAL HART (Jesse J. Hart, Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 DEC 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Jessie Jay Hart and Della Mann m. c.1945 at Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. and divd. JUL 1949
Ida Belle Carr dau. of Walter Carr.

Children: (Surname HART)

- 1092. Karen b. 18 FEB 1943 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder Hospital).
- 1093. Kleota Belle b. 18 JUN 1946.

Ida B. Carr had m/1 - - - - Boochee.

Leoral Hart, as he was commonly known, m/2 3 APR 1950 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. C. C. Collins to Laura May Barnes b. 26 DEC 1917 Bloomington, McLean Co., Ill. dau. of Bernard Barnes and Grace M. Brown.

Children: (Surname HART)

- 1094. Karla Christine b. 9 OCT 1955 DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 1095. Lela May b. 22 MAY 1958 DeKalb Co., Ind.

Laura May (Barnes) Hart had m/1 and divd. AUG 1949 - - - - Barrett.

650. JAMES ANDREW HART (Jessie J. Hart, Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 SEP 1918 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Jessie Jay Hart and Della Blanche Mann m. 13 SEP 1940 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. C. I. Anderson to Gladys Marie Kenner b. 31 DEC 1921 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Lloyd LeRoy Keener and Beatrice Benninghoff.

Children: (Surname HART)

- 1096. William DuWayne b. 20 JAN 1942 DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 1097. Gary Lee b. 10 JUN 1944 DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 1098. Dennis Gene b. 19 AUG 1950 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sanders Hospital).
- 1099. Sue Ann b. 9 AUG 1954 DeKalb Co., Ind.

651. LUCILE HART (Jessie J. Hart, Emma A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 MAR 1921 (a twin) dau. of Jessie Jay Hart and Della Blanche Mann m. Marion Monosmith; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname MONOSMITH)

1100. Elton Lee b. 7 MAY 1941.

655. MARCIE LUCILLE ROZEMA (Bertha, William H.H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 OCT 1923 Garrison, Benton Co., Iowa dau. of Herman J. Rozema and Bertha Coburn m. 17 APR 1942 and divd. 1962 Kenneth E. Liggett; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname LIGGETT)

1101. Marla Sue b. 30 MAR 1954.

1102. Craig Arnold b. 2 SEP 1955.

Marcie Rozema m/2 Walter J. Hageney; believed to have lived at Davenport, Iowa.

656. MORRIS J. ROZEMA (Bertha, William H.H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 31 MAR 1926 Garrison, Benton Co., Iowa s. of Herman J. Rozema and Bertha Coburn m. 4 SEP 19-- at Rock Island, Rock Island Co., Ill. Phyllis Fischbeck; her dates and parentage not given. Morris J. Rozema d. 4 JUN 1965 Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., Minn.

Children: (Surname ROZEMA)

1103. Martin J.

1104. Karen.

1105. Carolyn.

Morris Rozema's occupation is given as vice president of sales.

662. JANET LEE CLANAHAN (Dorothy, William H.H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 FEB 1933 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. dau. of Dennie L. Clanahan and Dorothy Coburn m. 27 DEC 1960 at East Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. Dale E. Trumble; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname TRUMBLE)

1106. Kevin Paul b. 28 OCT 1961 Muskegon Heights, Muskegon Co., Mich.

1107. David b. 10 SEP 1963.

1108. Kenneth b. 2 JAN 1965.

1109. Scott b. 8 MAY 1968.

1110. Beth b. 19 JUN 1970.

Dale Trumble is a school teacher in occupation. Residence near Muskegon, Mich.

663. DIANA LOU CLANAHAN (Dorothy, William H.H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 SEP 1934 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. dau. of Dennie L. Clanahan and Dorothy Coburn m. 1 JAN 1955 at East Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. to Randolph W. (Dan) Webster Jr. b. c.1933; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname WEBSTER)

- 1111. Randy b. 20 DEC 1959.
- 1112. Marian b. 22 MAR 1961.
- 1113. Trent b. 8 FEB 1964.
- 1114. Ruth b. 14 JUN 1968.

Residence at East Lansing, Michigan.

664. DOROTHY JANE CLANAHAN (Dorothy, William H.H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 JUN 1938 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. dau. of Dennie L. Clanahan and Dorothy Coburn m. 8 AUG 1960 East Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. to Donald R. Hoopingarner b. c.1936; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HOOPINGARNER)

- 1115. Kirra b. 2 JUL 1964.
- 1116. Dennie b. 26 FEB 1966.
- 1117. Marmie b. 29 DEC 1967.
- 1118. (AD) Colin b. 8 JAN 1970.
- 1119. Jocelyn Marie b. 3 MAR 1972.

665. DAVID WILLIAM CLANAHAN (Dorothy, William H.H., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 MAY 1940 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. s. of Dennie L. Clanahan and Dorothy Coburn m. JUN 1971 Bangkok, Thailand to LaGoya Quosay; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname CLANAHAN)

- 1120. Frederick b. 4 APR 1973.

667. GLEN MILTON HART (Winifred M., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 22 JUL 1904 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Fred Emerson Hart and Winifred Mabel Coburn m. 10 JUN 1926 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Daisy Beree b. 11 MAR 1906 Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Adrian Beree and Myrtle Gibson.

Children: (Surname HART)

- +1121. Earl Richard b. 21 MAY 1927 d. 6 MAY 1976.

Glen Hart attended Tri-State College at Angola, Ind. grad. Normal Degree 1927; Ball State University, Muncie, Ind. grad. 1941 B.E. degree in Physical Education and Industrial Arts; Indiana University at Bloomington, Ind. grad. 1947 M.S. degree Education. He taught school 49 years: elementary grades at Bitely, Mich. and DeKalb Co., Ind.; elementary principal and high school coach at Waterloo, Ind.; elementary grades and Physical Education and Health at Goshen, Ind.; high school Counselor and Machine Shop 1943-1971 Elkhart, Ind.

For 35 years, Glen Hart worked summers as a painter and decorator. He also was active 25 years in the Boy Scouts. Served as Deacon, Elder, and Board

Chairman in the Christian Church. He has traveled extensively; to Mexico, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Phillipines, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Tokyo, Anchorage, Madrid, Rome, Cairo, Athens, London, and 45 of the 50 U. S. States and Canada. For many years, he has maintained a summer home on Corey Lake in Michigan where both summer and winter fishing are enjoyed.

Residence at Elkhart, Indiana.

668. ELWOOD ROLAND HART (Winifred M., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 MAR 1908 St. Joe (Spencer Twp.) DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Fred Emerson Hart and Winifred M. Coburn m/1 20 MAR 1930 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. to Thelma Poper b. 6 SEP 1911 St. Joe, Ind. d. 4 AUG 1980 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Mem. Hospital) (cancer) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Marvin A. Poper and Winifred Bailey.

Children: (Surname HART)

+1122. John Norman b. 26 MAR 1937.

Elwood Hart m/2 in the Spring of 1982 Rose Worden dau. of Harvey Worden. She had m/1 Howard Betz who deceased.

In occupation, Elwood was always a farmer. Church affiliation Church of Christ. Residence now at Harlan, Allen Co., Ind.

670. JOHN JUNIOR SCHUITEMAN (Ruby D., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 AUG 1922 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of John H. Schuiteman and Ruby D. Coburn m. 4 OCT 1962 to Wadine Starkey; per dates and parentage not determined. John Schuiteman d. MAR 1980 Ae 57 and is bur. at Gladewater, Texas.

Children: (Surname SCHUITEMAN)

1123. Edward. Res. MAR 1980 at Twin Lake, Tx.

1124. James. Res. MAR 1980 at Grant, Tx.

1125. Chris.

1126. Joe.

1127. Phyllis m. - - - - Houston. Res. MAR 1980 Marshall, Tx.

John Schuiteman served during WWII in the U.S. Navy. In occupation, he was employed by the Marshall Pottery Co. at Marshall, Tx. Church affiliation Baptist.

676. SHARON ELAINE EADIE (Eloise E., Ella C., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 AUG 1938 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Charles R. Eadie, Jr. and Eloise E. Coburn m. 8 AUG 1958 at Seattle, King Co., Washington to John Louis Eggebrecht b. 23 JUN 1935 s. of John Jay Eggebrecht and Marion Faye McKinley.

Children: (Surname EGGBRECHT)

1128. Kurt Louis b. 18 MAR 1960. Attended InterLake H.S. at Bellevue, WA grad. 1978; then worked as laborer, mechanic 1978-1981; then entered computer programming program at Metropolitan Business College, Seattle, WA.

John Eggebrecht attended Jackson Junior College at Jackson, Mich. grad. 1955 Assoc. of Science; University of Michigan grad. 1958 B.S.M.E. Employed since 1958 as Mechanical Engineer by Boeing Airplane Co. and presently engineering supervisor, 767 Air Conditioning System.

Sharon Eggebrecht attended Bellevue Community College 1970-1972 and the University of Washington grad. 1972 Assoc. of Arts - Education; 1975 B.A. Education and 1981 5th year degree in Education. She was employed as a substitute teacher 1976-1978 and since 1979 as Librarian at InterLake H.S., Bellevue, Wa.

677. RUTH EVANGELINE KEESLER (Walter R. Keesler, Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 MAR 1923 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Walter R. Keesler and Eva King m. 7 FEB 1942 at Hattiesburg, Forrest Co., Miss. to Dale Collins s. of Charles Collins.

Children: (Surname COLLINS)

1129. Sheryll Ann b. 9 FEB 1944 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Dale Collins was a Pvt. in the U. S. Army at the time of marriage.

681. HAROLD LLOYD YEISER (Doris D. Keesler, Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 NOV 1924 s. of Desmond W. Yeiser and Doris D. Keesler m. 10 MAY 1951 at Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Un. Brethren Church) to Patricia Jane Turner b. 10 MAY 1929 Bluffton, Wells Co., Ind. AD dau. of Raymond Turner and Edith Harrold.

Children: (Surname YEISER)

+1130. (AD) Kathryn Sue b. 27 OCT 1945.

1131. Jeffrey Lynn b. 8 MAY 1955 d. 9 MAY 1955.

Harold Yeiser is a filling station operator at St. Joe, Ind.

682. ROSEMARY YEISER (Doris D. Keesler, Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 MAR 1927 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Desmond W. Yeiser and Doris D. Keesler m. 16 JUN 1947 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Johnnie Lee Sennett to Gerald Wayne Means b. 22 JUL 1926 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ray Means and Victoria Wilmot.

Children: (Surname MEANS)

1132. Sandra Kay b. 14 APR 1948 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sanders Hospital)

Gerald was employed as a sub-station operator at marriage and Rosemary was a beautician.

683. DONALD KEITH YEISER (Doris D., Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 JUL 1930 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Desmond W. Yeiser and Doris D. Keesler m. 12 JUL 1955 by Rev. Carl Thompson at DeKalb Co., Ind. to Helen Marie Ort b. 30 MAY 1936 Woodburn, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Bert Ort and Dora Clark.

Children: (Surname YEISER)

+1133. Rhonda Marie b. 20 MAR 1957.

1134. Julie Ann b. 23 AUG 1959 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 19 MAY 1979 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Dennis H. Jackson, pastor (St. Mark's Lutheran Church) to Gary Lee Dielman b. 8 DEC 1957 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Robert Byron Dielman and Irene Joy Baron.

1135. Cinday Tylin b. 8 AUR 1965 DeKalb Co., Inc.

685. DUANE LEE KEESLER (Henry C. Keesler, Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 FEB 1933 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Henry C. Keesler and Lily Pearl Rigg, m. 14 JUN 1952 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. Glenn T. Utterback to Kathrian Clouse b. 28 JAN 1934 Auburn, Ind. dau. of Worthy Clouse and Edna Nitzle.

Children: (Surname KEESLER)

1136. Kathy Lee b. 22 AUG 1953 DeKalb Co., Ind.

1137. Toni Ann b. 28 MAY 1955 DeKalb Co., Ind.

1138. Lona Sue b. 31 MAY 1956 DeKalb Co., Ind.

1139. Brian Duane b. 19 OCT 1958 DeKalb Co., Ind.

1140. Shon Rae b. 24 MAY 1961 DeKqlb Co., Ind.

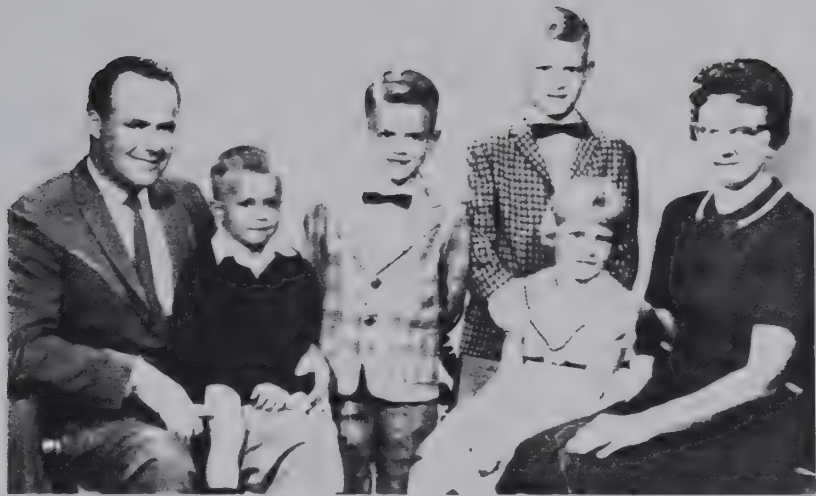
Duane Keesler is employed as chief of police at Auburn, Indiana.

686. GAY ANN KEESLER (Henry C. Keesler, Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 JUN 1938 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Henry C. Keesler and Lily Pearl Rigg m. 26 NOV 1957 by C. Wallace Miller, pastor (1st E.U.B. Church) to Ronald Lee Herrick b. 2 AUG 1938 Paulding Co., Ohio s. of Fordyce Friend Herrick and Mildred Easterday.

Children: (Surname HERRICK)

1141. Steven Lee b. 5 JUL 1959 DeKalb Co., Ind.

1142. Sheila Jean b. 22 MAY 1964 DeKalb Co., Ind.



James Franklin Coburn (#422) fam.,
L-R: Franklin, Roger, James, Marc,
Janis, wife Beverly Ann



Edver W. Coburn (#421) fam., L-R:
(rear) Phillip, Charlotte, Marcia
(front) Edver, Jonathan, wife
Jean, Lesley

COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION SEVEN
(Coburntown Branch)

688. MARION DERMOTT (Forest K. Dermott, A. Marion Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 SEP 1912 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 25 JUN 1967 bur. Mt. Calvary Catholic Cem., Renssalaer, Jasper Co., Ind. s. of Forest K. Dermott and Hazel M. Smurr m. 30 AUG 1952 Alverta Maryann Cain b. 29 AUG 1923 Renssalaer, Ind. dau. of Thomas Charles Cain and Gertrude Elizabeth Greiser.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

+1143. Victor Forest b. 28 JUN 1953.

1144. Terence Patrick b. 25 JUN 1956 Garrett, Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital). Attended St. Joseph College grad. B.S. History and Philosophy; also University of Cincinnati Law School and passed bar exam. in 1981. Now serving in the U.S.A.F. as an attorney.

Marion Dermott was a farmer in principal occupation.

Alverta Dermott resides on the farm property located near Newville, Indiana and is employed by Rieke Corp. at Auburn, Ind.

689. EVELYN FAYE DERMOTT (Forest K. Dermott, A. Marion Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 FEB 1919 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Forest K. Dermott and Hazel M. Smurr m. 22 OCT 1937 at Marion, Marion Co., Ohio to Robert Murphy b. 15 MAR 1915 Antwerp, Paulding Co., Ohio s. of Claran Murphy and Hazel Reeb.

Children: (Surname MURPHY)

+1145. Marjorie Louise b. 10 FEB 1939.

+1146. Marilyn Ann b. 5 SEP 1945.

Robert Murphy's principal occupation until his retirement in 1983 was as serviceman employed by a long-standing General Motors automobile dealership at Antwerp, Ohio. Naturally industrious, Robert also worked part-time for area farmers during periods when additional farm help might be needed.

Residence at Antwerp, Ohio.

690. RUTH OPAL ABEL (Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 FEB 1903 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 24 NOV 1980 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. (Community Health Center) dau. of Herbert E. Abel and Claudia C. Dermott m. 6 NOV 1922 at Charlotte, Eaton Co., Mich. to Emmett Locke b. 26 OCT 1900 Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. s. of Charles Henry Locke and Lillian Alexander.

Children: (Surname LOCKE)

- +1147. Dale b. 26 NOV 1923 d. 24 MAR 1948.
- +1148. Margie b. 2 JAN 1925.
- +1149. Maybelle b. 30 MAY 1926.
- +1150. Adaline b. 20 JAN 1928.
- +1151. Charles b. 8 NOV 1930.
- +1152. Richard b. 10 DEC 1935.
- +1153. Lois b. 24 JAN 1939.
- +1154. Carolyn b. 22 AUG 1943.

This family resided near Coldwater, Michigan.

692. MARY ABEL (Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 SEP 1904 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Herbert E. Abel and Claudia C. Dermott m. 19 MAR 1926 at Wauseon, Fulton Co., Ohio to Jedidiah Sherburne b. 2 APR 1900 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. s. of Owen Sherburne and Rose Alexander.

Children: (Surname SHERBURNE)

- 1155. Jack b. 29 FEB 1928 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 21 DEC 1952 Marion Stephenson b. 25 JUN 1930 dau. of Lorenzo Stephenson and Florence Renew. No issue. Residence at Ann Arbor, Mich.

Following the divorce from her first husband, Mary m/2 18 MAY 1930 at Coldwater, Mich. Russell Court b. 6 AUG 1904 Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Mich. d. 20 JUN 1954 Ann Arbor, Mich. bur. Bethlehem Cem., Ann Arbor, Mich. s. of Dennis Court and Etta Cox.

- +1156. Marian b. 29 SEP 1930.
- 1157. David b. 14 AUG 1942 m. 2 JUL 1977 at Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. to Joy - - - -. No issue to JUL 1983. David attended Eastern Michigan University and obtained Master's Degree. Residence at Kansas City, MO.

Mary m/3 4 JUN 1946 Otto Gerstler b. 19 OCT 1894 d. 2 FEB 1977 North Port, Sarasota Co., Florida bur. Bethlehem Cem., Ann Arbor, Mich. s. of Herman Gerstler and Otbie Schmidt. No issue of this marriage.

Following the death of her third husband, Mary m/4 12 JAN 1978 William Scharp b. 23 APR 1907 d. 23 OCT 1981 Punta Gorda, Florida bur. Reading, Hillsdale Co., Mich. s. of Otto Scharp and Edith Mills..

Mary Scharp resides at North Port, Florida.

694. MADGE MARIE ABEL (Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 JAN 1917 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Herbert E. Abel and Claudia C. Dermott m. 5 AUG 1940 at Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Mich. by Jan Ranny, J.P. to Truesdell F. Vealey b. 26 FEB 1913 Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co. d. 21 MAR 1983 s. of Thurlow Vealey and Anna E. Kiebler.

Children: (Surname VEALEY)

+1158. Ronald m. Sally - - - -.

+1159. Sharon.

1160. Susan b. 4 JUN 1954 Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co., Mich.

695. MADGE IRENE DERMOTT (Deo Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 JAN 1906 Girard, Branch Co., Mich. d. 8 AUG 1983 Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Mich. (Heart attack) bur. Sturgis, Mich. m. 19 JUN 1930 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich. to Peter Miller b. 13 AUG 1903 Gridley, McLean Co., Illinois d. 21 SEP 1974 Ae 71 bur. Sturgis, Mich. s. of Christian Miller and Phoebe Miller.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

+1161. Kathleen b. 14 MAR 1933.

+1162. Jeanene b. 16 JUN 1936.

Madge Miller was a school teacher and the family resided at Sturgis, Mich.

697. JOHN EVANS DERMOTT II (Deo Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 MAY 1915 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich. s. of Deo Dermott and Ines Kline m/1 prob. c.1945 and divd. Lura Mae Barr b. 12 FEB 1916 Coolville, Ohio d. 1938 dau. of Earl Barr and Bessie Spencer.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

+1163. Rose Marie b. 29 AUG 1946.

Evans Dermott, as he prefers to be known the same as his grandfather J. Evans Dermott, m/2 in California where his second wife deceased. No issue of this marriage.

Evans m/3 4 SEP 1971 Louise Virginia DeVries b. 26 FEB 1930 dau. of Garrett DeVries.

Louise Dermott is a registered nurse but no longer practices this profession.

In occupation, Evans Dermott has a varied career. He initially farmed at Constantine, Mich. and then became an electrician at Constantine and Sturgis, Mich., having been in charge of the electric power plant at Constantine for about five years; also, he engaged as a home builder during this period at Constantine. He next went to California and was employed for some five or more years in electrical and radar maintenance by Hughes Tool & Aircraft Co., leaving here to return to farming in North Dakota for more than five years. Again residing at Constantine, Mich. he now owns rental properties including both conventional and mobile home units.

An avocation of Evans Dermott for about 50 years has been collecting and selling classic automobiles of all makes.

698. BETTY ROSALYN DERMOTT (Deo Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 NOV 1917 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich.

dau. of Deo Dermott and Ines Kline m. 8 JUN 1940 Constantine, Mich. to Floyd Eby b. 20 SEP 1917, Camas, Clark Co., Washington s. of Jesse Eby and Marcia Bartlett.

Children: (Surname EBY)

+1164. Sonet b. 20 MAY 1942.

1165. Patricia b. 10 MAR 1954 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. Attended Spring Arbor College. Unm. She is a special education teacher in the school at Berrien Springs, Mich. and resides at Buchanan, Mich.

Floyd Eby served in the U. S. Navy during WWII as a communications officer with the rank of Lt. JG. He saw duty in the Pacific theatre.

Floyd attended Michigan State University and then was employed 30 years as a teacher and athletics coach at the high school in Coldwater, Mich. Being highly energetic, Floyd also engaged in home building as a developer and contractor at Coldwater and now owns and manages a good number of rental properties. He is also spiritually motivated and has long been active in the Gideons, now holding the office of traveling evangelist, and has published several books related mainly to his religious activities and ministry to youths. He is universally known to his acquaintances as Coach Eby.

Family residence is located at Coldwater, Michigan.

700. VIOLET MARIE DERMOTT (Olon L. Dermott, J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 JUN 1908 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 JUL 1937 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Olon L. Dermott and Bertha Ethel Place m. 9 SEP 1924 to Albert Moore b. 3 NOV 1899 bel'd. Bellefontaine, Logan Co., Ohio d. 1974 Quincy, Branch Co., Mich.; his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname MOORE)

+1166. Roscoe b. 30 MAR 1925.

1167. Stanley Louis stillborn 22 FEB 1927.

+1168. Mary b. 4 AUG 1928.

Apparently, judging from an article appearing in the St. Joe News issue of 27 JUN 1940, Albert m/2 because the item referred to burial of a stillborn son in Riverside Cem., at St. Joe, Ind. From a later report, he also became the father of a son named Ronald but the mother's name was not stated.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thurs., July 22, 1937.

Violet Marie (Dermott) Moore, daughter of Olen (sic) Dermott, was born west of Coburn's Corners June 23, 1908 and departed this life July 14, 1937 at the Sanders Hospital in Auburn, following a major operation at the age of 29 years, and 21 days.

On September 8, 1924 she was united in marriage with Albert Moore. Besides her husband, two children survive, Roscoe and Mary; her father, Olen (sic) Dermott; one brother, Howard, and one sister, Latha Goldsmith, who resides at Alvorado, O., besides a wide circle of friends and relatives.

In her childhood she united with the Church of Christ and was a member until her death. She was an active member of the local Home Bureau.

702. HOWARD REED DERMOTT (Olon L. Dermott, J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 DEC 1915 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 11 NOV 1959 s. of Olon L. Dermott and Bertha E. Place m. 29 SEP 1937 Evelyn Eloise Hook; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- +1169. Sharon Louise b. 3 JUN 1939.
- 1170. John Howard b. 16 AUG 1942.

Evelyn Dermott m/2 - - - - Thall and resides at Grayling, Michigan.

703. MILLER OTIS DERMOTT (Olon L. Dermott, J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 AUG 1943 Belvidere, Boone Co., Ill. s. of Olon L. Dermott and Mary M. Musser m. 18 JUN 1966 Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind. to Jane Ann Wallace b. 25 MAY 1944 Argos, Marshall Co., Ind. dau. of James Wallace and Ruby Streetman.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- 1171. Brent Allen b. 28 MAY 1969 Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind. (Community Hospital).
- 1172. Brenda Lee b. 16 MAY 1973 Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind. (Community Hospital).

704. JACOB JOSEPH DERMOTT (Olon L. Dermott, J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 NOV 1946 Goshen, Elkhart, Ind. s. of Olon L. Dermott and Mary M. Musser m. 5 APR 1975 Nappanee, Elkhart Co., Ind. (Presbyterian Church) to Terry Ann Rector b. 6 APR 1949 Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind. (Community Hospital) dau. of Richard Rector and Edith Virginia Zillmer.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

- 1173. Matthew Lynn b. 12 OCT 1975 Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind. (Memorial Hospital).

Terry Ann Dermott had m/1 David Smith who deceased; child (Surname: SMITH)
David Louis b. 9 AUG 1973.

Jacob Dermott is an employe of Donnely Printing at Warsaw, Indiana. Family residence at Nappanee, Ind.

Jacob is an active member of the U.S.A.F. Reserve.

706. PATRICIA ANN COBURN (E. Merle, Floyd J., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 APR 1947 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of E. Merle Coburn and Ruth Keller m. 15 JUL 1967 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. (Coburn's Corners) to James Carlton (Jim) Platner b. 7 APR 1946 East Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn. s. of Samuel Platner and Thelma Emmert.

Children: (Surname PLATNER)

- 1174. Lydia Elizabeth b. 14 OCT 1971 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (St. Joseph Hospital).
- 1175. Jonathan Aaron b. 23 OCT 1973 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (St. Joseph Hospital).
- 1176. Rachel Dianne b. 3 JUL 1975 Napoleon, Henry Co., Ohio (Memorial Hospital).

James Platner attended Great Lakes Bible College at Lansing, Mich. and took his degree course at Cincinnati Bible Seminary and is an ordained minister, pastor of the Church of Christ at Garrett, Indiana.

707. ROGER LEE COBURN (E. Merle, Floyd J., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 SEP 1951 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of E. Merle Coburn and Ruth Keller m. 25 SEP 1976 at Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. (Coburn's Corners) by Lawrence L. Carter, min. to Rhonda Jean Lothamer b. 9 DEC 1957 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of James Lothamer and Barbara Depoy.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 1177. Stacy Ann b. 11 MAY 1980 d. 11 AUG 1980 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 1178. Rebecca Ann b. 3 NOV 1981 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).

Roger Coburn is a maintenance employe of the Vulcraft Corp. near St. Joe, Ind.

708. MARCIA SUE COBURN (E. Merle, Floyd J., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 JAN 1953 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of E. Merle Coburn and Ruth Keller m. 20 APR 1973 at Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. (Chapel in The Garden) by Karl F. Kirkman Jr., pastor 1st Congregational UCC Church, to Darrell William Kruger b. 4 MAY 1945 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Wilbur John Kruger and Wilma M. Woolever.

Children: (Surname KRUGER)

- 1179. Caleb Shain b. 19 JUN 1976 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).
- 1180. Sonya Yvonne b. 22 FEB 1977 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

709. LEE ROY LHAMON (D. Arlene Willard, Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 JUN 1937 Bloomington, McLean Co., Ill. s. of Vernon B. Lhamon and Delphia A. Willard m. 18 MAR 1956 at Pekin, Tazewell Co., Ill. to

Evelyn Schappaugh b. 5 AUG 1937 Pekin, Tazewell Co., Ill. dau. of Edward P. Schappaugh and Helen Spaits.

Children: (Surname LHAMON)

- 1181. Brian Lee b. 25 AUG 1957 Pekin, Tazewell, Ill. m. 17 MAR 1979 at Pekin, Ill. and divd. 12 MAR 1981 Julie Parnham. He served one term in the U. S. Army.
- 1182. Mark Allen b. 30 MAR 1959 Pekin, Tazewell Co., Ill. He has served one term in the U. S. Marine Corps.
- 1183. Kelly Renee b. 20 FEB 1967 Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill.

Lee Lhamon is a heat treat operator in occupation and Evelyn is employed as an insurance secretary.

Family church affiliation Independent Bible Church.

710. VERNON LAWRENCE (LARRY) LHAMON (D. Arlene Willard, Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 MAR 1939 Bloomington, McLean Co., Ill. s. of Vernon B. Lhamon and Delphia A. Willard m. 14 OCT 1960 at Pekin, Tazewell Co., Ill. and divd. Deanna P. Hoover b. 23 JAN 1939 Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill. dau. of Harold Hoover and Dorothy Shreves.

Children: (Surname LHAMON)

- 1184. Traci Leanne b. 9 SEP 1961 Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill.
- 1185. Gregory Lawrence b. 17 DEC 1963 Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill.

Deanna Lhamon is a secretary in occupation. Church affiliation Methodist/Lutheran.

Vernon Lhamon m/2 MAY 1971 at Pekin, Tazewell Co., Ill. and divd. Sandra Budisalich. She had m/1 - - - - by whom she had daughters Angela and Stephanie prior to divorce in 1981.

Vernon Lhamon served one enlistment in the U.S. Army and is a bartender in occupation.

712. STEPHEN JAY WILLARD (Dwight F. Willard, Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 NOV 1942 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa s. of Dwight F. Willard and Georgia H. Suggett m. 18 NOV 1967 at Waterloo, Black Hawk Co., Iowa to Marianne Humont b. 14 JAN 1944 Waterloo, Iowa dau. of Peter D. Humont (surname changed from Humenczuk) and Iris Harmon.

Children: (Surname WILLARD)

- 1186. Jeffery Lynn b. 4 JUN 1968 Waterloo, Black Hawk Co., Iowa.
- 1187. Bradley Jay b. 2 JUN 1970 Waterloo, Black Hawk Co., Iowa.

Marianne Willard works as a receptionist and teacher aid. Church affiliation Presbyterian.

Stephen Willard has served in the U.S. Navy and is a computer programmer in occupation. Church affiliation Disciples of Christ.

Family residence has been at Waterloo, Des Moines, and Hudson in Iowa; followed by removal to Sherman Oaks and Granada Hills in California.

714. LAURA ELLENDER SARGENT (Charlotte E. Willard, Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 MAY 1948 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa dau. of Rollie R. Sargent Jr. and Charlotte E. Willard m. 17 MAY 1969 at Marshalltown, Iowa and divd. 2 MAR 1972 James Lester Troutner b. 12 SEP 1942 Earlville, Delaware Co., Iowa s. of Lester W. Troutner and Maurine A. Angel. No issue of this marriage.

James Troutner had m/1 - - - and divd. after two children by this marriage. In occupation, he is a welder.

Laura (Sargent) Troutner m/2 13 SEP 1975 at Liscomb, Marshall Co., Iowa and divd. Richard Elmer Primrose b. 30 JAN 1949 s. of Richard A. Primrose and Elsie McKee. (divorce date 20 JUL 1979).

Children: (Surname PRIMROSE)

1188. John Matthew b. 16 SEP 1977 Red Bank, Monmouth Co., N.J. d. 2 AUG 1979 Buffalo, Erie Co., N.Y. bur. Rose Hill Memorial Gardens Cem., Marshalltown, Iowa. He was born with a severe heart defect and underwent surgery at three months to partially correct the pulmonary artery (Children's Hospital at Buffalo, N.Y.), following by further surgery at 22 months from which he did not recover.

Richard Primrose was a career member of the U.S. Army and Laura is employed as a nursing assistant. Family church affiliation Disciples of Christ.

715. JENNIFER ANN SARGENT (Charlotte E. Willard, Laura M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 MAY 1960 Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa dau. of Rollie R. Sargent Jr. and Charlotte E. Willard m. 21 JUN 1980 at Marshalltown, Iowa to Jody Leroy Harris b. 6 NOV 1961 Crown Point, Lake Co., Ind. s. of Jack Harris and Rose Ann Rhodes.

Children: (Surname HARRIS)

1189. Inf. b. AUG 1982.

Jody Harris is a member of the U.S. Navy serving as a gas turbine engine operator (Gas Systems Mechanic).

Jennifer Harris' church affiliation is Disciples of Christ.

719. CHARLOTTE COBURN (Edver W., Walter H., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 DEC 1950 Kokomo, Howard Co., Ind. dau. of Edver Wilmot Coburn and

Joan Touby m. 8 JUL 1972 Plymouth, Marshall Co., Ind. Elmer Frank Hesse Jr. b. 4 MAR 1950 St. Louis, St. Louis Co., Mo. s. of Elmer Frank Hesse Sr. and Leta Sanders.

Children: (Surname HESSE)

1190. Shannon Elise b. 26 JUN 1975 Muncie, Delaware Co., Ind.

1191. Sarah Frances b. 15 MAY 1978 Muncie, Delaware Co., Ind.

Elmer Hesse Jr. attended Ball State University grad. 1972 B.S. Degree and 1973 M.A. degree. He is a member of the staff at this university.

Charlotte also attended Ball State University grad. 1973 B.S. Degree.

Family church affiliation Presbyterian. Residence at Muncie, Indiana.

720. MARCIA COBURN (Edver W., Walter H., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 MAR 1952 Kokomo, Howard Co., Ind. dau. of Edver W. Coburn and Joan Touby m. Gene Pett; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname PETT)

1192. Scott Alan b. 18 APR 1975.

1193. Dawn Allison b. 6 MAR 1977.

722. LESLIE PAUL COBURN (Edver W., Walter H., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 OCT 1955 Plymouth, Marshall Co., Ind. s. of Edver W. Coburn and Joan Touby m. Linda - - - - (no further information given).

Children: (Surname COBURN)

1194. Alisha b. 13 JUN 1977 (Downs Syndrome child).

733. HELEN MILDRED SHAFFER (DeLoss C. Shaffer, Delpha M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 SEP 1941 dau. of DeLoss Coburn Shaffer and Winnifred Weiland m. Ray Simcox; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname SIMCOX)

1194. John Rabin b. 27 MAY 1958.

1195. Barbara Joan b. 7 OCT 1959.

1196. James Dee b. 17 DEC 1960.

1197. Linda Raelene b. 26 JAN 1963.

1198. Nathan Lee b. 12 JUL 1971.

Family residence near Benton Harbor, Michigan.

734. MARY LOUISE SHAFFER (DeLoss C. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JUL 1945 dau. of DeLoss Coburn Shaffer and Winnifred Weiland m. Donald Lambdin; his dates and parentage not given. Mary and Donald divd.

Children: (Surname LAMBDIN)

- 1199. Timothy b. 11 APR 1964.
- 1200. Tammy b. 11 JAN 1966.
- 1201. Tina b. 6 DEC 1963.
- 1202. Tricia b. 31 MAY 1970.
- 1203. Teri b. 2 FEB 1973.

Mary Lambdin resides at Goshen, Indiana.

735. LOUIS JOHN SHAFFER (DeLoss C. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 JUL 1947 s. of DeLoss Coburn Shaffer and Winifred Weiland m. 21 AUG 1971 Frances Emmons dau. of Marvin Emmons and Annie Ruth Allen.

Children: (Surname SHAFFER)

- 1204. Michael Wayne b. 17 JUL 1974.
- 1205. Amanada Ruth b. 6 JAN 1978.

Residence at Goshen, Indiana.

736. DEBORAH RUTH SHAFFER (DeLoss C. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 SEP 1953 dau. of DeLoss Coburn Shaffer and Winifred Weiland m. prob. c. 1971 Edward Wiedenhaft; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname WIEDENHAFT)

- 1206. Jennifer Michelle b. 23 MAR 1972.
- 1207. Heather Ann b. 21 JUL 1977.

Residence at Nappanee, Indiana.

739. ALICE VIRGINIA PERSHING (Laura B. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 FEB 1943 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of Max Keith Pershing and Laura Bonita Shaffer m. 2 JAN 1960 at Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind. to Donald Lynch b. 14 SEP 1940 s. of Cortland Lynch and Viola - - - -.

Children: (Surname LYNCH)

- 1208. Bryan L. b. 29 JUL 1961.
- 1209. Cristi Sue b. 17 AUG 1964.
- 1210. Ricky Dean b. 5 OCT 1966.
- 1211. Cortland Oliver b. 7 MAY 1968.

Residence at Bremen, Indiana.

740. DELPHIA ANNE PERSHING (Laura B. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 JUN 1945 Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of Max Keith Pershing and Laura Bonita Shaffer m. 12 JAN 1964 and divd. Stanley Dean Dewitt b. 23 MAR 1943 Marshall Co., Ind. s. of Albert Jacob Dewitt and Marie Eloise Joyce.

Children: (Surname DEWITT)

1212. Jacque Irene b. 10 AUG 1964.

1213. Elizabeth Marie b. 4 DEC 1966.

Stanley Dewitt has been a filling station manager. He m/2 17 SEP 1969 at Kosciusko Co., Ind. Jeanette Irene Ramsey.

Upon her divorce from Stanley Dewitt, Anne (as she is commonly known) resumed her maiden name. She is believed to reside at Bourbon, Indiana.

741. ROBERT KEITH PERSHING (Laura B. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 OCT 1947 Kosciusko Co., Ind. s. of Max Keith Pershing and Laura Bonita Shaffer m. 4 MAR 1967 Melody Winrotte b. 10 APR 1947 poss. Gary, Ind. dau. of Kenneth Winrotte and Norma Hite.

Children: (Surname PERSHING)

1214. Laurie Ann b. 2 JAN 1968 Plymouth, Marshall Co., Ind.

1215. Amanda Kay b. 8 SEP 1972 Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind.

1216. Keineth b. 23 MAY 1982 Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind.

Residence of this family is at Bourbon, Indiana.

742. SALLY KAY PERSHING (Laura B. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 31 AUG 1948 Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of Max Keith Pershing and Laura Bonita Shaffer m. 25 SEP 1965 at Etna Green, Kosciusko Co., Ind. to Teddy Ray (Ted) Heisler b. 31 JAN 1946 Kosciusko Co., Ind. s. of Charles Wayne Heisler and Alma Lena Bach.

Children: (Surname HEISLER)

1217. Tod Allen b. 14 JUL 1966 Bremen, Marshall Co., Ind.

1218. Jeffery Wayne b. 2 APR 1968 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind.

1219. Tracy Lynne b. 9 JAN 1971 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind.

Ted Heisler is an employe of the U. S. Rubber Co.

Family residence near Etna Green, Indiana.

743. JUDITH ANN LaVALLEY (Margaret M. Shaffer, Delphia M., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 DEC 1954 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. m. 16 FEB 1974 Santee, San Diego Co., Calif. to Donald Owen; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname OWEN)

1220. Brian Donald b. 30 AUG 1975.

1221. Kelly Lynn b. 7 OCT 1978.

1222. Tiffany Ann b. 18 AUG 1981.

744. KENNETH JOHN MACK (Shirley E., Kenneth D., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 JAN 1960 Hicksville, Defiance Co. (Community Hospital) s. of Thomas A. Mack and Shirley E. Coburn m. DeKalb Co., Ind. (Concord M.E. Church) to Tammy Marie Tatro dau. of Stuart Tatro and Ruth - - - -.

Children: (Surname MACK)

1223. Emanuel b. Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Memorial Hospital).

1224. Sunshine Rain (f) b. Oceanside, San Diego Co., Calif. (Camp Pendleton Marine Hospital).

Kenneth Mack enlisted SEP 1980 in the U.S. Marine Corps. Stationed at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif. NOV 1981.

752. DENNIS COBURN (Floyd C., Kenneth D., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 MAR 1958 Grundy, Buchanan Co., Va. s. of Floyd C. Coburn and Wanda Osborne m. 11 JUN 1976 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Sue Slentz b. 24 OCT 1957 Auburn, Ind. dau. of Herbert Slentz and Joyce Ann Roth.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

Bel'v. to have had one child.

Dennis is a maintenance employe at Universal Tool Co., Butler, Ind. Sue also works for this firm as an assembler of auto jacks, their principal product.

753. SHEILA LYNN COBURN (Floyd C., Kenneth D., Wilmot P., John F., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 FEB 1962 dau. of Floyd C. Coburn and Wanda C. Osborne m. 19 JUN 1982 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Dennis W. King, min. to Billy Gene Lehman b. 1 NOV 1962 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of John B. Lehman and Effie May Piercy.

Children: (Surname LEHMAN)

1225. Melissa Augustine b. c. JAN 1981.

784. STEVEN CLYDE COBURN (Mahlon L., Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 MAR 1947 s. of Mahlon L. Coburn and Frieda Omens m. 23 AUG 1968 Kathleen Lousine Archbold; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

1226. Leslie Ann b. 12 JUN 1969.

1227. Mary Ann b. 2 MAR 1971.

1228. Jeffrey Allen b. 27 DEC 1972.

788. ADRIAN COBURN STRUBLE (Ethel, Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 JUN 1939 s. of Alva Struble and Ethel Coburn m. poss. c.1966 Bobbie - - - - (nothing more given).

Children: (Surname STRUBLE)

1229. Eric b. 20 DEC 1967.
1230. Adrian b. 16 JUN 1969.

790. DWAYNE STRUBLE (Ethel, Roy S., Frankline W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 22 FEB 1945 s. of Alva Struble and Ethel Coburn m. poss. c.1966 Emilia - - - - b. 30 JUL 1948; her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname STRUBLE)

1231. Bill b. 13 JUL 1967.
1232. Aldon b. 29 DEC 1969.
1233. Tammy b. 14 SEP 1974.

791. KEITH STRUBLE (Ethel, Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 FEB 1948 s. of Alva Struble and Ethel Coburn m. poss. c.1964 Jean - - - - (nothing more given).

Children: (Surname STRUBLE)

1234. Steve b. 1 DEC 1966.
1235. Paul b. 24 MAR 1967.
1236. Ammy b. 25 JUN 1969.
1237. Shelleyne b. 24 APR 1969.

The birthdates of two children in 1969 as given are confusing; either there has been an error in the year of birth or one child may have been adopted.

793. DEBBIE L. COBURN (Lyle, Roy S., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1951 m. poss. c.1977 James Bruson about whom nothing more has been given.

Children: (Surname BRUSON)

1238. Derek b. 1 JUL 1978.

806. DONALD C. TRIMBLE (Meredith F. Trimble, Edith P., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 22 MAY 1933 s. of Meredith F. Trimble and Delia J. Fox m. Anna E. Seyforth about whom nothing more has been given.

Children: (Surname TRIMBLE)

1239. Sarah L. b. 24 JUN 1962.
1240. Susan M. b. 17 JUL 1964.
1241. Mark C. b. 4 SEP 1966.
1242. Linda A. b. 3 MAY 1968.

807. GLENARD M. TRIMBLE (Meredith F. Trimble, Edith P., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 SEP 1936 s. of Meredith F. Trimble and Delia J. Fox m. Irmagard O. Kappas about whom nothing more has been given.

Children: (Surname TRIMBLE)

1243. Deborah b. 10 APR 1970.

808. MARILYN J. ELZINGA (Violet A. Wolfe, Maude M., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 DEC 1936 dau. of George S. Elzinga and Violet A. Wolfe m. Dean A. Recknagel about whom nothing further has been given.

Children: (Surname RECKNAGEL)

1244. Jeffrey D., b. 17 NOV 1960.

1245. Todd R. b. 5 DEC 1963.

1246. Troy A. b. 23 JUN 1966.

1247. Jill M. b. 7 JAN 1971.

809. RICHARD G. ELZINGA (Violet A. Wolfe, Maude M., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 AUG 1941 s. of George S. Elzinga and Violet A. Wolfe m. Gloria Blankenship about whom nothing further has been given.

Children: (Surname ELZINGA)

1248. Kimberley A. b. 9 FEB 1962.

1249. Adam R. b. 28 DEC 1964.

810. PHILIP M. ELZINGA (Violet A. Wolfe, Maude M., Franklin W., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 MAR 1946 s. of George S. Elzinga and Violet A. Wolfe m. Judy R. Ruiter about whom nothing further has been given.

Children: (Surname ELZINGA)

1250. Amy K. b. 1 JAN 1970.

1251. Daniel P. b. 26 NOV 1977.

819. CHRISTINE MAE PETERSON ((Margurite Z., James H., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 JAN 1941 dau. of Palmer Peterson and Margurite Z. Coburn m. Buck Green about whom nothing more has been given.

Children: (Surname GREEN)

1252. Margaret Adell b. 22 DEC 1963.

1253. (twin ?) Kelly b. 1966.

1254. (twin ?) Shelly b. 1966.

820. MOREEN ADELL PETERSON (Margurite Z., James H., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 JUL 1946 Jasper, Pickens Co., Ga. dau. of Palmer Peterson and Margurite Z. Coburn m. 28 NOV 1964 Larry Mattison; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname MATTISON)

- 1255. Morgan b. 1966.
- 1256. James.
- 1257. Elizabeth.

821. PAULETTE JANE COBURN (Merrick E., James H., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 MAR 1950 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Merrick E. Coburn and Betty J. Gater m. Thomas Maxson about whom nothing more has been given; married 10 JUL 1967 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname MAXSON)

- 1258. Jennifer Jane b. 22 NOV 1967.
- 1259. Adele Mae b. 23 AUG 1971.

828. LARRY STEVENS (Lyman Stevens, Agnes V., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 JUL 1938 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. s. of Lyman Stevens and Irene Rose Kopenski m. 20 JUL 1958 Comstock Park, Kent Co., Mich. to Kathern Kelly about whom nothing more has been given.

Children: (Surname STEVENS)

- 1260. Michial.
- 1261. Lynne.
- 1262. Jackelyn.
- 1263. Patrick.
- 1264. Kelly.

835. DONNA EDNA ANDERSON (Leonora P. Pike, R. Zanona, Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 AUG 1954 Tmda, Zaire (Africa) dau. of Rev. Delmar E. Anderson and Leonora P. Pike m. 30 JUL 1977 at Cope, Washington Co., Colo. to Fredrick Priest about whom nothing more has been given.

Children: (Surname PRIEST)

- 1265. Harmony b. 12 AUG 1979.
- 1266. Jeremiah b. 7 DEC 1981.

838. DOROTHY ANNE ANDERSON (Leonora P. Pike, R. Zanona, Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 31 AUG 1959 Shabunda, Zaire dau. of Rev. Delmar E. Anderson and Leonora P. Pike m. 17 MAY 1980 Greeley, Weld Co., Colo. to Jeffery Gerbing about whom nothing more has been given.

Children: (Surname GERBING)

- 1267. Tyler b. 31 MAY 1983.

842. NANCY LYNN DICKSON (Helen M., Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 APR 1951 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Thomas A. Dickson and Helen M. Coburn m. 7 JUN 1975 at Phoenix, Maricopa Co., Ariz. Rodney M. Lakin about whom nothing further has been given.

Children: (Surname LAKIN)

- 1268. Melissa Nicole b. 18 AUG 1977.
- 1269. Rodney M. Jr. b. 15 MAY 1980.
- 1270. Elizabeth Erin b. 29 JAN 1983.

843. JANET SUE DICKSON (Helen M., Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 APR 1953 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Thomas A. Dickson and Helen M. Coburn m. 2 DEC 1972 Phoenix, Maricopa Co., Ariz. to James Hawthorne; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HAWTHORNE)

- 1271. Jenille Marie b. 5 AUG 1977.

846. PAULA MARIE COBURN (Willard C., Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 SEP 1952 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Willard C. Coburn and Camille Forward m. poss. c.1975 to Thomas Miller about whom nothing further is given.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

- 1272. Eric Clark b. 11 JUL 1976.
- 1273. Brenna Richard b. 30 MAY 1978.

847. CINDY LOU COBURN (Willard C., Clyde C., Ella S., Samuel D., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 JUN 1954 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Willard C. Coburn and Camille Forward m. poss. c.1973 to Edward Harris; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HARRIS)

- 1274. Jason Lee b. 11 MAR 1974.
- 1275. Corey Lee b. 1 OCT 1978.
- 1276. Scott Foster b. 2 JUL 1982.

855. ETHELYN BAKER (Bernice M. Perry, Alice Shafer, Susan A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) dau. of Walter J. Baker and Bernice M. Perry m. 10 JUL 1937 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Maurice Miller s. of Vinton Miller.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

- 1277. Judy.
- 1278. James Leroy b. 17 SEP 1947 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital).
- 1279. William Ted b. NOV 1950 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital).

858. PATRICIA MAE PERRY (Virgil C. Perry, Alice Shafer, Susan A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 JUL 1925 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Virgil C. Perry

and Marguerite Leighty m. Fred C. Strible Jr. whose dates and parentage have not been determined.

Children: (Surname STRIBLE)

- 1280. Bruce M.
- 1281. Gail Jean.
- 1282. Todd C.

Patricia Strible completed nurse's training at Memorial Hospital, South Bend, Indiana.

859. BETSY ANN PERRY (Virgil C. Perry, Alice Shafer, Susan A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) dau. of Virgil C. Perry and Marguerite Leighty m. Duane Prestage; all dates and his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname PRESTAGE)

- 1283. Philip.
- 1284. Patricia M.
- 1285. Rebecca.
- 1286. Edward V.

This family is believed to have resided at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

865. GRACE JEANETTE MURPHY (Vivian Mason, Leona Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 AUG 1935 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of LaVon Murphy and Vivian Mason m. 30 DEC 1954 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Charles J. Barkley, min. to Harry Andrew Oberlin b. 22 AUG 1928 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Eber Oberlin and Clara Healey.

Children: (Surname OBERLIN)

- 1287. Deborah Kay b. 25 MAY 1955.
- 1288. Adrea Leah b. 12 FEB 1957.

In occupation, Harry Oberlin has been engaged in the tree service business.

868. DELORIS JENKINS (Harold Jenkins, Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 21 APR 1918 dau. of Harold Jenkins and Orgie A. Wise m. 7 OCT 1938 Scudder LaVon Loucks; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname LOUCKS)

- 1289. Richard Lee b. 11 MAR 1941 m. 18 DEC 1959 Judith Bleich.
- 1290. Patricia Ann b. 21 SEP 1943. Unm. MAR 1970.

This family resided in 1941 at Cleveland, Ohio.

869. LAUREL JENKINS (Harold Jenkins, Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 MAY 1921 s. of Harold Jenkins and Orgie A. Wise

m. Erma Holiday; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname JENKINS)

1291. Larry Lee.

1292. Diana Lynn.

871. GWENEVERE JENKINS (Kenneth Jenkins, Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 OCT 1921 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Kenneth Jenkins and Velma Gorden m. 9 OCT 1941 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Erby Messimer (Church of Christ parsonage) to Jack LaMar Chorpennning b. 5 SEP 1922 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Clayton Chorpennning and Arline Van Zile.

Children: (Surname CHORPENNING)

1293. Reggie LaMar b. 3 FEB 1947 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (St. Joseph Hospital).

1294. Corine b. 14 FEB 1952.

Residence in 1947 at Butler, Indiana.

873. EDWARD LEROY CASSELMAN (Florence Jenkins, Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 OCT 1929 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Arden Casselman and Florence Jenkins m. Bernice - - - b. 25 JAN 1935; her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CASSELMAN)

1295. Jack b. 6 FEB 1949.

1296. Ronnie b. 8 APR 1953.

1297. Jillane b. OCT 1956.

1298. Ernie b. APR 1958.

1299. Kenneth Lee b. 17 JAN 1960.

875. LOREN IRVEN BARNTHOUSE (Frances Jenkins, Edna Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 APR 1930 s. of LeRoy Barnthouse and Frances Jenkins m. 31 OCT 1950 Myrtle Lee Emerson; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname BARNTHOUSE)

1300. Lauren b. 23 JAN 1952.

1301. Gary b. 14 FEB 1953.

Loren Barnthouse m/2 10 DEC 1960 Nancy Johnston.

876. VICTOR ZOLLER (Hilda Kimes, Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 AUG 1926 s. of George E. Zoller and Hilda Kimes m. 19 DEC 1948 Doris Eileen Lontz; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname ZOLLER)

- 1302. Dale Eugene b. 27 FEB 1953.
- 1303. Kent Douglas b. 19 MAY 1957.
- 1304. Rita Kay b. 18 MAR 1959.

877. ROBERT ZOLLER (Hilda Kimes, Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 JUL 1927 s. of George E. Zoller and Hilda Kimes m. 18 SEP 1954 Evelyn Haag; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ZOLLER)

- 1305. Gary Robert b. 7 OCT 1957.
- 1306. Steven Wayne b. 21 MAR 1962.

878. LOWELL ZOLLER (Hilda Kimes, Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 JAN 1936 s. of George E. Zoller and Hilda Kimes m. 13 SEP 1958 Judith Loe Conrad; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ZOLLER)

- 1307. George Wendell b. 28 JUL 1959.
- 1308. David Alan b. 17 JAN 1962.
- 1309. Laura Kay b. 9 MAR 1963.

879. JUNE DELORES FLAUGH (Emily Kimes, Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 MAY 1940 dau. of Russell Flaugh and Emily Kimes m. John Rawleigh; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname RAWLEIGH)

- 1310. Joni b. 4 MAR 1962.
- 1311. Scott.

881. BEVERLY JEAN OLSON (Mary Kimes, Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 NOV 1935 dau. of Albert Olson and Mary Kimes m. 29 DEC 1956 Robert Leo Monks; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname MONKS)

- 1312. David Joseph b. 15 DEC 1957.
- 1313. Steven Michael b. 6 SEP 1959.
- 1314. John b. OCT 1961.

882. BARBARA LEE OLSON (Mary Kimes, Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 JUL 1939 dau. of Albert Olson and Mary Kimes m. 6 SEP 1958 Richard Dean Bauer b. 16 JUL 1929 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Wesley Bauer and Audry Baker.

Children: (Surname BAUER)

- 1315. Kathy b. 17 NOV 1961.

883. MARY ELLEN KIMES (Edward Kimes, Zelma Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 SEP 1933 dau. of Edward Kimes and Eloise M. Murnan m. 28 JUN 1958 Oline Robert Mooy; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname MOOY)

1316. Brian David b. 9 MAY 1959.

1317. Beth Ann b. 10 JUL 1961.

885. JOSEPH HAYDEN GIAGUE (Rose Wilmot, Hayden Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 JAN 1923 s. of Louis Giague and Rose Wilmot m. 29 DEC 1949 Mary Schneider; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname GIAGUE)

1318. Amy Jo b. 2 FEB 1952 d. 2 MAR 1952.

1319. Danny b. 26 JUL 1954.

1320. Tracy Ann b. 7 MAY 1956.

1321. Anna Lee b. 12 APR 1963

886. ARTHUR DALE DUSING (Elva Wilmot, Wm. Hayden Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 JAN 1929 s. of Delbert Dusing and Elva Wilmot m. 15 JUN 1953 JuNita Likens; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname DUSING)

1322. Cathy Lou b. 26 FEB 1954.

1323. Debra Lynn b. 7 OCT 1956 (deceased).

Residence at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

888. DONALD DUSING (Elva Wilmot, Wm. Hayden Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 OCT 1935 s. of Delbert Dusing and Elva Wilmot m. 29 OCT 1955 Claudie Stine; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname DUSING)

1324. Ronald b. 29 NOV 1956.

Residence at Phoenix, Arizona.

890. CARL ALLEN WILMOT (Carlton R. Wilmot, George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 OCT 1948 AD s. of Carlton R. Wilmot and Ruth N. Church m. 24 NOV 1978 and sep'd. from Kathy Haugen dau. of Ed Haugen and Mary - - - -.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

1325. (AD) Dawn b. 21/23 JUL 1978.

1326. Shawn b. 24 FEB 1980.

1327. Jason b. 9 JAN 1982.

891. JANET ARLENE WILMOT (Keith Wilmot, George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 SEP 1938 Aubur, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Keith L. Wilmot and Joyce L. Sherck m. 15 JUL 1957 by Rev. Carl W. Blickendorf Billy Lewis Walters b. 18 APR 1933 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Silas Ted Walters and Gladys McClish.

Children: (Surname WALTERS)

1328. Scott Kevin b. 19 AUG 1958 DeKalb Co., Ind.
1329. Beth Ann b. 31 JUL 1962 DeKalb Co., Ind.
1330. Todd Steven b. 18 SEP 1963 DeKalb Co., Ind.

892. JUDY ELAINE WILMOT (Keith Wilmot, George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 FEB 1940 dau. of Keith L. Wilmot and Joyce L. Sherck m. 8 AUG 1958 Jay Eugene Sowels b. 19 JAN 1935 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Jay E. Sowels and Nina Collins.

Children: (Surname SOWELS)

1331. Brent Vincent b. 31 MAR 1959.
1332. Mark Steven b. 20 MAY 1962.
1333. Aaron Eugene b. 26 APR 1969.

893. JIMMY KEITH WILMOT (Keith Wilmot, George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 JUL 1941 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Keith L. Wilmot and Joyce L. Sherck m. 14 JUL 1962 Norma Jean Camp b. 18 MAY 1944 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Rolland Camp and Pauline Myers.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

1334. son (twin) b. 3 JAN 1966.
1335. son (twin) b. 6 JAN 1966.

894. JERRY DUWAYNE STAIRHIME (Iris Wilmot, George G. Wilmot, Florence, William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 JUL 1940 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Keith E. Stairhime and Iris W. Wilmot m. 7 OCT 1967 Newcastle, Henry Co., Ind. Nancy E. Dudelston b. 30 OCT 1949 Newcastle, Ind. dau. of Max Dudelston and Anna Ruth - - - .

Children: (Surname STAIRHIME)

1336. Scott Allen b. 30 APR 1968 DeKalb Co., Ind.
1337. Angela b. c.1971/72 Newcastle, Henry Co., Ind.

Jerry Stairhime is an operating engineer in occupation.

Residence near St. Joe, Ind.

913. WILBUR E. DELPH (Lucille Loomis, Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 DEC 1929 Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas s. of Cecil Delph and Lucille Loomis m. 17 SEP 1955 LaVern Seiring b. 26 NOV 1935 Pemberville, Wood Co., Ohio; her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname DELPH)

- 1338. Vickie Lynn b. 1957 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio.
- 1339. Duane Allen b. 1961 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio.
- 1340. Benjamin Jay b. 1962 Porterville, Tulare Co., Calif.
- 1341. Barbara Sue b. 1965 Stockton, San Joaquin Co., Calif.

914. JANE LOUISE DELPH (Lucille Loomis, Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 APR 1932 dau. of Cecil Delph and Lucille Loomis m. 16 SEP 1953 Wade Nelson Shenew b. 25 NOV 1926 Portage, Wood Co., Ohio; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname SHENEW)

- 1342. Michele Lee b. SEP 1955 Portage, Wood Co., Ohio.
- 1343. Cynthia Sue b. APR 1957 Portage, Wood Co., Ohio.
- 1344. Kimberly Jo b. 22 SEP 1961 Portage, Wood Co., Ohio.
- 1345. Dawn Marie b. 13 OCT 1964 Portage, Wood Co., Ohio.

915. ROBERT RAY DELPH (Lucille Loomis, Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 MAY 1934 Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas s. of Cecil B. Delph and Lucille Loomis m. NOV 1961 Diane Ann Gottrell b. 12 OCT 1938 Ohio; her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname DELPH)

- 1346. Adrienne Ann b. 1964 Portage, Wood Co., Ohio.
- 1347. Paula Elizabeth b. 1967 Bowling Green, Wood Co., Ohio

916. JAMES EDWARD DELPH (Lucille Loomis, Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 SEP 1936 Bowling Green, Wood Co., Ohio s. of Cecil B. Delph and Lucille Loomis m. Kay Sawyer; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname DELPH)

- 1348. Shad James b. APR 1960 Bowling Green, Wood Co., Ohio.
- 1349. Chris Thomas b. JUN 1961 Bowling Green, Wood Co., Ohio.
- 1350. Marc Jeffrey b. MAY 1963 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio.
- 1351. Dana Lynn (f) b. NOV 1965 Perrysburg, Wood Co., Ohio.

918. BERNICE ANN ROMBERGER (Alma L. Loomis, Ruby E., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1936 dau. of Ben F. Romberger and Alma Lorraine Loomis m. - - - - Fruhwith.

Children: (Surname FRUHWITH)

- 1352. Trisha Lee b. 1965.
- 1353. Jason Allen b. 1962.

920. DOROTHY JEAN ROBERTS (Agatha, Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 AUG 1923 d. 17 AUG 1979 bur. Evergreen Cem., Newville, Ind.

dau. of Floyd C. Roberts and Agatha Coburn m. Carl Cook s. of Charles O. Cook and Nellie H. Evard.

Children: (Surname COOK)

- 1354. Douglas.
- 1355. David b. 17 JAN 19--.
- 1356. Dennis b. 30 APR 19--.

Carl Cook m/2 after the death of his first wife Esther Christlieb; she had m/1 - - - Ankney and divd. No issue of either marriage.

Dorothy Cook had m/1 and divd. No issue.

921. JESSIE ROBERTS (Agatha, Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 JAN 1926 dau. of Floyd C. Roberts and Agatha Coburn m. James Harris; his dates and parentage not given. Jessie and James divd.

Children: (Surname HARRIS)

- 1357. Ann.
- 1358. Sharon.
- 1359. James.

Jessie Harris m/2 Gerald Haifley; his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname HAIFLEY)

- 1360. Danny.
- 1361. Jerry.

Gerald Haifley is a bulk milk hauler in occupation employed by County Line Cheese Co.

Residence at Ashley, Indiana.

922. RICHARD LEE ROBERTS (Agatha, Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 JUN 1928 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Floyd C. Roberts and Agatha Coburn m. 21 APR 1950 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. to Paula Joan Hartz b. 29 JAN 1932 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Austin Hartz and Mildred Grogg.

Children: (Surname ROBERTS)

- 1362. Richard Floyd b. 12 NOV 1950 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. m/1 31 OCT 1970 Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind. m/2 7 MAY 1977 Jan Wolfe DeKalb Co., Ind.
- 1363. Loxie Lee b. 6 NOV 1954 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. m/1 23 JUN 1973 Tim Kaiser m/2 24 APR 1976 Tim Kees.
- 1364. Paul Douglas b. 8 NOV 1957 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. Enlisted JAN 1980 U.S. Marine Corps.

Richard Roberts served in the U.S. Army 1945-1948 and saw duty in China where he was for a time a chauffeur on the Burma road. He was employed by International Harvester Co., at Fort Wayne, Ind. in plant maintenance work until retiring in OCT 1974.

Residence near Coburn's Corners in DeKalb Co., Ind.

923. GLENDAY GAY WASSON (Agatha, Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 SEP 1941 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital) dau. of Kenneth Wasson and Agatha Coburn m. 14 OCT 1962 San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tx. and div'd. 1978 James Sanchez s. of Ramon Sanchez and Janie Acosta.

Children: (Surname SANCHEZ)

1365. Kenneth Antonio b. 25 OCT 1963 Ft. Eustis, Va.

1366. Christopher Ryan b. 21 MAY 1965 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind.

Glenda Sanchez joined the U.S. Air Force in 1961 but served only eight months (enlistment curtailed when she learned she would not be sent overseas).

Glenda attended Eastern Michigan University at Ypsilanti, Mich. grad. 1977 B.A. in Anthropology. She participated during the Summer of 1981 in an Aztec archaeological dig at Chalco, Mexico under Prof. Elizabeth Brumfiel of Albion College, Albion, Michigan.

924. HAROLD D. WASSON (Agatha, Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 JUN 1943 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital) s. of Kenneth Wasson and Agatha Coburn m. 30 SEP 1961 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. (M.E. Church) Rosa Marlene Kessler b. 23 SEP 1943 nr. Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Joseph Kessler and Zelda Mary Foster.

Children: (Surname WASSON)

1367. Harold Dwayne (Buzz) b. 8 OCT 1962.

1368. Dawnielle (Dawn) b. JUN 1964.

Harold Wasson is a journeyman electrician in occupation.

925. SUE ANN WASSON (Agatha, Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 JUN 1944 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital) dau. of Kenneth Wasson and Agatha Coburn m. 8 JAN 1961 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. James McKean s. of George McKean and Ginger - - - .

Children: (Surname McKEAN)

1369. son b. 1961 d. OCT 1965.

1370. James Jr. b. 18 JUN 1966.

James McKean is employed as a foreman by Riecke Mfg. Co. at Auburn, Ind.

Residence at Butler, Indiana.

927. WILLIAM GLEN COBURN (Victor G., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 JUN 1934 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Victor G. Coburn and Ila L. Monroe m. 17 AUG 1962 Hamilton, Steuben Co., Ind. Onalee Hanes b. 16 JAN 1940 dau. of Robert Hanes and Onalee Klinkle.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

1371. William David b. 5 AUG 1963.

1372. Amy Lee b. 16 JUL 1975.

William Coburn is a plant maintenance employe of Dana Corp., Auburn, Ind.

Residence at Hamilton, Indiana.

928. LEATRICE JOY COBURN (Victor G., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 JUL 1936 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Victor G. Coburn and Ila L. Monroe m. 28 APR 1956 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (St. Michaels Catholic Church) Wilbur Lee Lothamer b. 13 FEB 1937 Payne, Paulding Co., Ohio s. of Francis Lothamer and Ellen Converset.

Children: (Surname LOTHAMER)

+1373. Brenda Lee b. 5 JUL 1957.

+1374. Gina Marie b. 16 AUG 1958.

1375. Brian Keith b. 24 JUL 1959 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital). Enlisted 1980 in U.S. Marine Corps.

+1376. Kelly Kay b. 6 JUN 1961.

1377. Julie Ann b. 7 NOV 1962 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio. Employed by Federal Savings & Loan Co., Waynedale Branch, Fort Wayne, Ind.

1378. Jeffrey Paul b. 12 MAY 1965 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital).

Wilbur Lothamer is a plant maintenance employe of the B. F. Goodrich Co.

Family residence at New Haven, Indiana.

929. CALVIN GRANT COBURN (Victor G., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 JUL 1938 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Victor G. Coburn and Ila L. Monroe m. MAY 1974 Trudy Parker b. 12 MAY 1949 dau. of James Parker and Nioma - - - -.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

1379. Victor Grant b. 28 MAY 1975 Fayetteville, Cumberland Co., N.C.

Trudy m/1 - - - - Baker by whom there were three daughters. He was killed in the Service in VietNam.

Calvin Coburn served in the U.S. Marine Corps as a "Green Beret" stationed

in VietNam and also worked for the U.S. Government as a narcotics agent, leaving this occupation prior to his marriage.

Family residence at Fayetteville, N.C. where Calvin is employed by the city of Fayetteville as head of maintenance operations on buses and other city-owned equipment.

930. CAROL JEAN COBURN (Robert B., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 FEB 1933 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Robert B. Coburn and Ruth Schrader m. 26 JUN 1956 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Concord M.E. Church) by Rev. Joseph Shrault Jr. to David J. Galbraith b. 18 FEB 1914 Philadelphia, Pa. s. of William Galbraith and Jeannie Young.

Children: (Surname GALBRAITH)

- 1380. Patricia Ann b. 26 APR 1957 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).
- 1381. Tamara Sue b. 7 SEP 1958 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).
- 1382. Robert Allen b. 24 DEC 1961 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).
- 1383. David J. b. 6 SEP 1966 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

David Galbraith m/1 Jane Strohl who d. 1952; their children (Surname GALBRAITH): Timothy. Married and res. Pennsylvania with two children.
Daniel b. 3 MAY 19--; married and res. Pennsylvania with one child.

In occupation, David was until his retirement a landscape contractor and owned a nursery located at Fort Wayne, Indiana. Carol worked as a registered nurse.

Family residence near Leo, Indiana.

931. CHARLOTTE ANN COBURN (Robert B., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 SEP 1940 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Robert B. Coburn and Ruth Schrader m. 3 JUN 1961 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Trinity Lutheran Church) by Rev. LeRoy E. Buuck, pastor to Kenneth Carl (Whitey) Wolff b. 23 MAR 1935 Garden City, Wayne Co., Mich. s. of Hermann Wolff and Mabel Heft.

Children: (Surname WOLFF)

- 1384. Michael b. 19 JAN 1963 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).
- 1385. Scott b. 4 JUN 1965 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).
- 1386. Troy b. 12 DEC 1967 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).
- 1387. Lori b. 1 APR 1970 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

Kenneth Wolff works as a dry wall installer and finisher as a member of the carpenters union. Charlotte's occupation at marriage was "medical assistant." Family church affiliation Lutheran.

932. SUZANNE COBURN (Orville R., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 JUL 1946 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Orville R. Coburn and Esther L. Richards m. 8 AUG 1964 Leo, Allen Co., Ind. (Church of Christ) to Lynn Dean Witt b. 11 NOV 1942 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Robert Witt and Bessie King.

Children: (Surname WITT)

- 1388. Michael b. 24 MAY 1967 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).
- 1389. Tamara Sue b. 19 JUN 1968 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).
- 1390. Jennifer Kay b. 13 MAR 1971 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).
- 1391. Jeffrey Lee b. 3 JAN 1973 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

Lynn Witt is an electrician in occupation.

Residence nr. Grabill, Indiana.

933. KAY LYNN COBURN (Orville R., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 JUL 1956 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Orville R. Coburn and Esther L. Richards m. 5 OCT 1974 at Norris Chapel by Rev. Joseph Hauwelt, Un. M.E. min. to Bradd C. Zeisloft b. 25/26 FEB 1956 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Thornton C. Zeisloft and Marjorie June Haynes.

Children: (Surname ZEISLOFT)

- 1392. Jeremy C. b. 14 SEP 1980 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).

Bradd Zeisloft is a farmer and factory worker in occupation. Kay was employed as a receptionist at marriage.

Residence at rural Auburn, Indiana.

934. ANN WADE (Gearold C. Wade, Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 MAR 1936 Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Gearold C. Wade and Lucille Gingrich m. 4 JAN 1958 and div'd. 1975 Daniel R. Smith b. 16 JUN 19-- prob. Greenville, Darke Co., Ohio s. of Floyd Smith and Margaret Ross.

Children: (Surname SMITH)

- 1393. Sheri Ann b. 10 DEC 1962 Greenville, Darke Co., Ohio.
- 1394. Dana Ann b. 19 APR 1965 Greenville, Darke Co., Ohio.

Ann Smith is employed in insurance sales. Residence near Edgerton, Ohio.

935. RICHARD WAYNE CREAGER (Irene H. Wade, Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 AUG 1937 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m/1 1956/57 and divd. 1965 Marylee Harter; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

1395. Larie Keith b. 26 DEC 1957.

1396. Carol Ann b. 1 OCT 1959.

1397. Kevin Lee b. 4 SEP 1962.

Richard Creager m/2 1967/68 Dixie Allomond; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

1398. Andera Nicole b. 31 JUL 1971.

Residence at Nicholasville, Kentucky.

936. JERRY DEAN CREAGER (Irene H. Wade, Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 SEP 1942 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m. 1 SEP 1961 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Eunice D. Tilghman b. 7 APR 1943 Auburn, Ind. dau. of Willard Womach Tilghman and Violet Esther Thimlar.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

1399. Kimberly Dawn b. 26 SEP 1962 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.

In occupation, Jerry Creager is a self-employed carpenter.

Family residence at Waterloo, Indiana.

937. WILLIAM GENE CREAGER (Irene H. Wade, Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 SEP 1944 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m. 24 OCT 1971 and divd. 26 SEP 1980 Marjorie Neuman; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

1400. Ken O'Brien b. 21 JUN 1972.

Residence at Kendallville, Indiana.

938. ROGER DALE CREAGER (Irene H. Wade, Delphia I., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 JAN 1948 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m. 16 MAR 1968 Giesla Summers; her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

1401. (AD) Danny b. c.1968.

1402. Wayne b. 3 JUL 1972.

Roger Creager has served in the U.S. Army since c.1967. In 1980, he was stationed at Frankfort, Germany.

942. ETHEL ANTOINETTE (TONY) LAKE (Walter Lake, Bessie Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 APR 1936 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Walter L. Lake and Ethel Wenkm. 23 DEC 1961 Fort Wayne, Ind. to Terry L. Bosserman b. 20 DEC 1939 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Kenneth Bosserman and Eileen Allen.

Children: (Surname BOSSERMAN)

1403. Timothy b. 10 MAY 1968 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

1404. Amy b. 22 NOV 1970 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

Terry Bosserman served in the U.S. Army 1961-1964 and saw duty in VietNam. In occupation, he installs and services industrial material handling equipment.

Tony Bosserman breeds riding horses as an avocation.

Residence near Newville, Ind. (former Wallace Abel home). Family church affiliation Un. Methodist.

943. DAVID ALLEN LAKE (Glen Lake, Bessie Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 DEC 1940 s. of Glen I. Lake and June Swihart m. Marie Zebro; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname LAKE)

1405. Adam D., b. 5 FEB 1976.

Residence at South River, N.J.

944. CHARLES MICHAEL LAKE (Glen Lake, Bessie Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 MAY 1945 s. of Glen I. Lake and June Swihart m. 22 AUG 1970 Judith L. Shaeffer.

Children: (Surname LAKE)

1406. Valerie b. 14 OCT 1975.

Residence at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

945. KATHLEEN ANN LAKE (Glen Lake, Bessie Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 OCT 1950 dau. of Glen I. Lake and June Swihart m. 11 AUG 1973 Gary Green b. 19 JUL 1948/49 s. of George Green and Margaret

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Children: (Surname GREEN)

1407. son b. 25 JAN 1980.

Gary Green attended college and grad. 1971/72. Kathleen also attended college and grad. 1973.

Family residence at Diamond Bar, California.

946. BETTY ELAINE TOMLINSON (Kenneth V. Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 JAN 1930 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Kenneth V. Tomlinson and Leona Scott m. 29 APR 1951 at Hicksville, Ohio Virgil Albert (Pete) Pierson; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname PIERSON)

1408. Alan Duane b. 5 MAY 1956 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).

1409. (AD) Wendy Sue b. 9 JAN 1957 Korea m. 19 OCT 1980 to ?.

Pete Pierson is owner and manager of Hulbert & Tomlinson's, a firm dealing in Hay, Straw and sundry farming equipment and materials.

Residence at Hicksville, Ohio.

947. DOROTHY ILENE TOMLINSON (Keith C. Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 DEC 1934 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Keith Charles Tomlinson and Lillian E. Hanna m. 14 NOV 1952 at Hicksville, Ohio to Russell Junior Hinsch b. 12 DEC 1932 Hicksville, Ohio s. of Russell L. Hinsch and Doris M. Slesman.

Children: (Surname HINSCH)

1410. Deborah Sue b. 13 MAR 1954 Waltham, Suffolk Co., Mass.

1411. Bryant Mitchel b. 23 JUN 1958 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 4 AUG 1978 Hicksville, Ohio to Valinda Louise Street.

1412. Gordon Duane b. 7 DEC 1960 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Russell Hinsch served in the U.S. Army 1953-1955. In occupation, he was employed in 1980 as an office employe by International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Dorothy Hinsch is a Licensed Practical Nurse.

Family residence at Hicksville, Ohio. Church affiliation Lutheran.

948. LARRY LEE TOMLINSON (Keith C. Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 JAN 1938 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Keith C. Tomlinson and Lillian Hanna m. 3 FEB 1958 at Hicksville, Ohio (Church of Christ) to Judy Lamb b. 4 JUN 1940 Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Harry J. Lamb and Lucille A. Miller.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

- 1413. Lorinda Denise b. 4 JUL 1958 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio
(Memorial Hospital).
- 1414. Susan Rene b. 7 SEP 1960 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio
(Memorial Hospital).
- 1415. Brent Mathew b. 16 JUN 1965 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio
(Memorial Hospital).

In 1978, Larry Tomlinson was employed as an engineer by International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Family residence at Hicksville, Ohio. Church affiliation is Church of Christ.

949. DONALD RAE TOMLINSON (Keith C. Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 AUG 1941 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Keith C. Tomlinson and Lillian Hanna m/1 7 DEC 1957 and divd. 1961 Sandra Lengacher dau. of Joe Lengacher and Leona Mast.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

- 1416. Robin Sue b. 11 JAN 1958 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.
- 1417. Judy Lynn b. 30 JAN 1959 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Donald Tomlinson m/2 7 NOV 1964 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Jeanine Messman b. 8 DEC 1944 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Francis Messman and Odeal Ternet.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

- 1418. Keith Francis b. 21 MAR 1965 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

In 1978, Donald was employed as a foreman by International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Residence near Hicksville, Ohio.

950. JANICE KAY TOMLINSON (Ronald Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 DEC 1939 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Ronald L. Tomlinson and Kathryn E. Olds m. 7 DEC 1957 Berlin J. Kline b. 5 MAY 1939 Mark Center, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Berlin F. Kline and Dortha Beltz.

Children: (Surname KLINE)

- 1419. Judith b. 29 MAY 1958 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 7 OCT 1978 Hicksville, Ohio to Keith McDonald.
- 1420. Jeffrey b. 13 AUG 1959 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.
- 1421. Jill b. 25 FEB 1961 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.
- 1422. Bradley b. 18 DEC 1963 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.
- 1423. Brooke (m) b. 31 MAY 1966 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

In occupation, Berlin Kline is a farmer and formerly was a production employee of International Harvester Co. at their truck manufacturing plant in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Family residence at Hicksville, Ohio. Church affiliation Lutheran.

951. DEANNA LEA TOMLINSON (Ronald Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 MAY 1943 dau. of Ronald L. Tomlinson and Kathryn E. Olds m. 7 JAN 1967 Stanley Sollid b. 7 NOV 1939; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname SOLLID)

1424. Laura Kathryn b. 28 MAR 1970.

Residence at Kentfield, California.

952. RONNA SUE TOMLINSON (Ronald L. Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 FEB 1946 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Ronald L. Tomlinson and Kathryn E. Olds m. 6 JUN 1970 at Carmel, Monterey Co., Calif. to Eduardo Steven Arellanes b. 13 JUN 1930 Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara Co., Calif. s. of Edward Mauro Arellanes and Emilia Lillian Rios.

Children: (Surname ARELLANES)

1425. Ryan Miguel b. 16 SEP 1973 Harbor City, Los Angeles Co., Calif.

1426. Marisa Childers b. 30 NOV 1979 Lakenheath, England (American A.F. Hospital).

Eduardo Arellanes attended the University of Calif. at Santa Barbara grad. JAN 1959 B.A. Degree in Graphic Arts with music minor. Has done graduate work mainly at Los Angeles State College. Holds a life-time secondary teaching credential from State of California.

Ronna Arellanes attended California State College at Long Beach grad. JUN 1968 B.A. Degree in English and Special Education minor. She received a life-time teaching credential JUN 1969 from State of California.

Eduardo and Ronna taught two years at a school for American dependents in Nurnberg, Germany before going to England where in 1980 they were living on Lakenheath American Air Force Base and Eduardo taught at the American High School for military and civilian dependents at that location.

954. TERRY LYNN TOMLINSON (Robert Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 SEP 1949 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Robert L. Tomlinson and Leota Bauder m. 12 APR 1975 Kent, Portage Co., Ohio Rebecca Susan Kline b. 30 OCT 1954 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio dau. of Howard Joseph Kline and Marion Rose Crocker.

Children: (Surname TOMLINSON)

1427. Sam Michael b. 9 JUN 1977 Anaheim, Orange Co., Calif.

Terry Tomlinson is employed as a machinist by Drive Line Specialists Co.
Family church affiliation Catholic.

956. LESLIE THOMAS STRONG (Lois J. Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 JAN 1948 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Harry L. Strong and Lois Jean Tomlinson m. 3 JUN 1969 at Antwerp, Paulding Co., Ohio (Church of Christ) to Brenda Lee Beerbower b. 13 FEB 1949 Antwerp, Ohio dau. of Russell P. Beerbower and Nellie Marie Keyes.

Children: (Surname STRONG)

1428. Darren Leslie b. 25 SEP 1971 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind.

1429. Craig Thomas b. 10 MAY 1974 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind.

Leslie Strong is an ordained minister. Family church affiliation Church of Christ.

957. MARK LAVON STRONG (Lois J. Tomlinson, Blanche Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 JUL 1950 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Harry L. Strong and Lois Jean Tomlinson m. 14 JUN 1970 at Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Church of Christ) to Melanie Lou Carnahan b. 12 JUL 1950 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Kenneth Dwight Carnahan and Phyllis Henry.

Children: (Surname STRONG)

1430. Nathan Mark b. 31 MAY 1973 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

1431. Ryan Gregory b. 6 APR 1975 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

1432. Eric Michael b. 26 DEC 1977 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Memorial Hospital).

In occupation, Mark Strong is a Civil Engineer and Land Surveyor.

Family church affiliation Church of Christ.

960. DEBORAH JANE McNABB (Harold W. McNabb, Gladys C. Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 21 AUG 1953 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) dau. of Harold W. McNabb and Gladys I. Leiter m. 1 OCT 1977 Benton Harbor, Berrien Co., Mich. to Thomas Patrick Tarantino b. 5 JUN 1953 Berrien Co., Mich.; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname TARANTINO)

1433. Andrew Patrick b. 15 MAY 1980 St. Joseph, Berrien Co., Mich.

1434. Rebecca Jane b. 16 NOV 1982 St. Joseph, Berrien Co., Mich.

Family residence at Coloma, Michigan.

961. STEVEN W. McNABB (Harold W. McNabb, Gladys C. Abel, Louisa A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 JUL 1955 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) m. 28 OCT 1976 Three Oaks, Berrien Co., Mich. to Justine Carolyn Ward b. 5 APR 1958 dau. of William Harold Ward and Louise - - - -.

Children: (Surname McNABB)

1435. David Wayne b. 28 AUG 1977.
1436. Scott Harold b. 15 MAY 1979.

983. ALICE LEONE WADE (Vincent R. Wade, Victor R. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 JUL 1939 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. dau. of Vincent R. Wade and Lorna Sears m. 9 JAN 1960 at Flint, Mich. to Joseph N. Kulhanck b. 1 JAN 1931 Maple Grove Twp., Saginaw Co., Mich. s. of Joseph Kulhanck Jr. and Audrey Pelletier.

Children: (Surname KULHANCK)

1437. Elaine Margaret b. 28 MAR 1961 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.
1438. Joseph Vincent b. 1 MAR 1962 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.
1439. Stephen Anthony b. 15 FEB 1963 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.
1440. Donald James b. 6 DEC 1966 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

Joseph Kulhanck is employed as a supervisor by General Motors Acceptance Corp. at Lansing, Mich. Alice works as a supply cataloger for the Defense Logistics Services Center at Battle Creek, Mich.

Residence at Battle Creek, Michigan. Family church affiliation Roman Catholic.

984. MARY JOYCE WADE (Vincent R. Wade, Victor R. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 JUL 1942 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. dau. of Vincent R. Wade and Lorna Sears m. 7 MAY 1966 Flint, Mich. to Darrell Scott Phelps b. 14 AUG 1945 Flint, Mich. s. of Clare Phelps and Ethel Brady.

Children: (Surname PHELPS)

1441. Scott Vincent b. 31 JAN 1967 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.
1442. Daniel Donavan b. 3 APR 1970 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.
1443. Kevin Michael b. 8 SEP 1971 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

Darrell Phelps is a self-employed carpenter in occupation.

Residence at Flint, Michigan. Family church affiliation Roman Catholic.

985. CHARLES LEONARD WADE (Vincent R. Wade, Victor R. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 JUN 1945 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. s. of Vincent R. Wade and Lorna Sears m. 26 AUG 1965 Flint, Mich. to Suzanne Coates b. 22 JUL 1947 Flint, Mich. dau. of Charles Coates and Winifred McCandless.

Children: (Surname WADE)

1444. Charles Anthony b. 28 OCT 1966 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

1445. Patrick Ross b. 1 OCT 1967 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

1446. Tracey Marie b. 26 APR 1970 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

1447. Amanda Ann b. 27 AUG 1975 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

Charles Wade is employed by Fisher Body Div., General Motors Corp. at Flint, Michigan.

Residence at Flint, Michigan. Family church affiliation Roman Catholic.

986. DEE ANN WADE (Cyril J. Wade, Victor R. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JUN 1942 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. dau. of Cyril J. Wade and Thelma Houk m. 1962 Flint, Mich. (civil ceremony) and remarried 30 JUN 1974 at Grand Blanc, Genesee Co., Mich. (Holy Family Church) to James M. Dye b. 13 SEP 1935 Rector, Clay Co., Ark. s. of James Alfred Dye and Gracie Lucile Yates.

Children: (Surname DYE)

1448. Brian Joseph b. 28 JAN 1963 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

1449. Stephanie Ann b. 11 FEB 1970 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

James Dye is an employe of Chevrolet Div., General Motors Corp.

987. STEPHEN C. WADE (Cyril J. Wade, Victor R. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 AUG 1943 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. s. of Cyril J. Wade and Thelma Houk m. 2 NOV 1963 Flint, Mich. to Patricia Jeanne Pethers b. 1 FEB 1945 Flint, Mich. dau. of Arnold John Pethers and Katherine Ann Macdonald.

Children: (Surname WADE)

1450. Michael Stephen b. 10 JUN 1964 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

1451. Kathleen Marie b. 19 DEC 1965 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich.

Stephen Wade is an employe of Buick Motor Div., General Motors Corp.

989. PATRICIA ANN FERGUSON (Victor R. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 MAR 1940 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. dau. of Victor R. Ferguson and Clazine VanderKley m. 14 NOV 1959 at Kalamazoo, Mich. to Edward Donald Willems b. 11 FEB 1939 Kalamazoo, Mich. s. of Edward Willems and Bertha Mae Allen.

Children: (Surname WILLEMS)

1452. Lawrence Edward b. 10 APR 1961 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1453. David Donald b. 19 JAN 1963 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1454. Christine Ann b. 28 JUN 1966 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Edward Willems is employed by Eaton Manufacturing Co. in their shipping department. Patricia is employed as a medical secretary in the Oncology & Hematology Clinic; Bronson Methodist Hospital at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

Residence at Kalamazoo, Michigan. Church affiliation Catholic.

990. JOAN ELAINE FERGUSON (Victor R. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 FEB 1942 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. dau. of Victor R. Ferguson and Clazine VanderKley m. 17 FEB 1962 at Kalamazoo, Mich. and divd. Robert Carl Whiteside b. 30 DEC 1942; his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname WHITESIDE)

1455. Diane Marie b. 26 NOV 1962 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1456. Lori Ann b. 23 JAN 1969 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Joan Whiteside resides at Phoenix, Arizona.

991. VICTOR REXFORD FERGUSON JR. (Victor R. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 JAN 1946 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. s. of Victor R. Ferguson Sr. and Clazine VanderKley m. 15 MAR 1969 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. to Joanne Camille Czarnopys b. 19 JUL 1944 Grand Rapids, Mich. dau. of Edward Czarnopys and Harriet Zarzecki.

Children: (Surname FERGUSON)

1457. Randall Mark b. 10 JUN 1969 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1458. Melissa b. 16 AUG 1975 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Joanne Ferguson attended Western Michigan University grad. B.S. Degree and is employed as a Registered Occupational Therapist by Allegan Intermediate Schools.

Victor Ferguson attended Western Michigan University grad. B.S. Degree in Chemistry and is employed in this capacity by Plainwell Paper Co..

Residence at Kalamazoo, Michigan. Church affiliation Catholic.

994. RONALD LEE SACKETT (Maxine L. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 18 JAN 1937 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. s. of Kenneth Sackett and Maxine L. Ferguson m. 29 JAN 1960 Kalamazoo, Mich. to Ruth Louise Kramer b. 21 MAR 1938 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Tom Kramer and Louise Ruth TerBorg.

Children: (Surname SACKETT)

1459. Kevin Douglas b. 19 AUG 1962 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1460. Rene Lee b. 11 MAR 1965 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1461. Rexford Allen b. 14 APR 1966 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1462. Daniel Ryan b. 13 JUL 1969 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Ruth Sackett attended Western Michigan University grad. 1958 B.S. Degree in Social Studies. She then attended the University of Michigan grad. 1961 M.S. Degree in Special Education. In 1978, she was employed as a teacher, Secondary Level, by the Kalamazoo Public Schools in charge of Job Placement for Special Education Students.

Ronald Sackett also attended Western Michigan University grad. 1959 B.S. Degree in Education and in 1970 M.S. Degree in Industrial Technology with Aviation Emphasis. Employed as Assistant Professor, Co-ordinator of Flight Program at Western Michigan University.

Residence at Kalamazoo, Michigan. Church affiliation Protestant.

995. LINDA ROSE SACKETT (Maxine L. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 MAY 1941 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. dau. of Kenneth Sackett and Maxine L. Ferguson m. 18 MAR 1961 Arlen Douglas White; his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname WHITE)

- 1463. Randall Jeffrey b. 21 MAY 1963.
- 1464. Melissa Kim b. 6 NOV 1965.
- 1465. Jonathan Alfonzo b. 30 JUN 1970.

Residence at Parma, Michigan.

996. SHIRLEY JEAN SACKETT (Maxine L. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 21 MAY 1944 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. dau. of Kenneth Sackett and Maxine L. Ferguson m. 12 MAR 1965 Joseph Gerald Buckallew b. 28 NOV 1943; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname BUCKALLEW)

- 1466. Alexander Joseph b. 2 MAR 1971.
- 1467. Amy Jo b. 28 FEB 1972.

997. SUZANNE MARIE SACKETT (Maxine L. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 MAR 1949 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. dau. of Kenneth Sackett and Maxine L. Ferguson m. 22 JUL 1966 and divd. 24 NOV 1971 Kenneth Andres b. 24 OCT 1944; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ANDRES)

- 1468. Patricia Lynn b. 23 DEC 1966.

Suzanne Andres resides at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

998. KENNETH JAMES SACKETT (Maxine L. Ferguson, Stella M. Wade, Mary C., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 SEP 1953 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co.,

Mich. s. of Kenneth Sackett and Maxine L. Ferguson m. 19 MAR 1971 Kalamazoo, Mich., to Susan Beth Kuilema b. 23 NOV 1953; her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname SACKETT)

1469. Adam James b. 19 OCT 1971.

Residence at LeRoy, Michigan.

1015. MAX LARRY STANFIELD (Martha A., Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 OCT 1942 Hephzibah, Richmond Co., Ga. son of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m/1 28 DEC 1963 and divd. 4 JUN 1973 Lyla Dorene King b. 22 APR 1943 dau. of Robert King and Elaine Clark. No issue.

Larry Stanfield, as he prefers to be known, m/2 15 JUN 1973 Judy Moring b. 22 SEP 1947 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.; her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname STANFIELD)

1470. son b. 1 OCT 1976.

Judy Moring had m/1 Ronald Wade by whom there was one daughter, name not given.

Larry Stanfield is a salesman in occupation. Church affiliation Un. Methodist.

1016. GWENDOLYN ANN STANFIELD (Martha A., Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 JUL 1946 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio dau. of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m. 15 JUL 1967 Willard, Ohio (Un. Brethern Church) to Gerald Robert (Gerry) Holmes b. 25 DEC 1942 Willard, Ohio s. of Howard Holmes and Helen Sparks.

Children: (Surname HOLMES)

1471. Shannon Renee b. 25 AUG 1970 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio (Willard Area Hospital).

Gerald Holmes served in the U.S. Army SEP through NOV 1967; received medical discharge (blind in one eye).

Gerald is employed by Certain-teed Corp. of Avery, Ohio as a machine operator in the manufacture of roofing shingles.

Residence at Willard, Ohio. Church affiliation Un. Methodist.

1017. JANICE LEE STANFIELD (Martha A., Estel L., Harmon A., William A., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 SEP 1947 Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio dau. of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m. 28 JAN 1967 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio to Thomas Carl Olds b. 14 MAR 1944 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio s. of Carl Benton Olds and Catherine M. Donovan.

Children: (Surname OLDS)

- 1472. Jodi Lynn b. 29 OCT 1967 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio.
- 1473. Jennifer Dawn b. 28 JUL 1970 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.
- 1474. Amy Christine b. 27 JUN 1974 Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio.

Thomas Olds has served as a member of the Ohio National Guard. In occupation, he is a carpenter.

Residence at Akron, Ohio. Family church affiliation Church of Christ.

1018. MICHAEL LEMAR STANFIELD (Martha A., Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 JUN 1950 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio s. of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m. 29 AUG 1970 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio to Deborah Jane Snyder b. 11 MAY 1950 Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio dau. of Robert Dee Snyder and Margaret Hale.

Children: (Surname STANFIELD)

- 1475. Michael Nathan b. 8 MAR 1971 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.
- 1476. Mathew Neil b. 24 AUG 1972 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.
- 1477. Michelle Nicole b. 6 SEP 1973 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.

Deborah Stanfield is employed as a teacher and Michael is employed as a compounder.

Residence in 1978 at Ashland, Ohio.

1019. JAMES RALPH EGGERS (Barbara M., Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 17 OCT 1945 Gary, Lake Co., Ind. s. of Ralph Henry Eggers and Barbara M. Coburn m. 10 DEC 1971 Carroll Co., Ill. to Janice Mahmens b. 4 JUN 1945 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital) dau. of Leonard Mahmens and Delores Schroeder.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

- 1478. Angela Rose b. 16 MAR 1972 Davenport, Scott Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital).
- 1479. Selena Mae b. 8 JAN 1975 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital).
- 1480. Jessica Faith b. 30 DEC 1976 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital).

Janice Eggers is employed as a postal clerk and James is a city mail carrier, both working for the post office at Clinton, Iowa where they reside.

1020. STANLEY ALLEN EGGERS (Barbara M., Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 MAY 1949 Savanna, Carroll Co., Ill. s. of Ralph H. Eggers and Barbara M. Coburn m. 24 NOV 1978 Newton, Clinton Co.,

Iowa (Reform Church) to Illene Norman b. 27 NOV 1950 Morrison, Whiteside Co., Ill. dau. of Isaac Norman and Harriet Ven Huizen.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

1481. Inf. b. JAN 1981.

In 1980, Illene Eggers was employed as parts manager by Determan GMC Trucks at Camanche, Iowa. Stanley is a salesman in occupation employed by Clinton Tire Co., Clinton, Iowa.

Residence at Clinton, Iowa.

1021. JEFFREY JOE EGGERS (Barbara M., Estel L., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 AUG 1956 Savanna, Carroll Co., Ill. s. of Ralph H. Eggers and Barbara M. Coburn m. 19 FEB 1977 Clinton Co., Iowa (Sugar Creek Catholic Church) to Julie Wenzel b. 1 OCT 1958 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa dau. of John Wenzel and Geraldine Gregerson.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

1482. Joshua John b. 26 JUN 1977 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa.

Jeffrey Eggers is employed by Accent Homes at DeWitt, Iowa as a carpenter.

Residence at Goose Lake, Iowa.

1024. GORDON PAUL MILLER (Douglas J. Miller, Pauline E., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 MAY 1948 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Douglas Jack Miller and Jeanne M. Laub m. 2 SEP 1972 Gail Ann Godsey b. 12 OCT 1950 Richmond, Wayne Co., Ind. dau. of Robert Gene Godsey and Lavona Lee Reece.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

1483. Mariah Jeanne b. 2 JUN 1979 Richmond, Wayne Co., Ind.

1484. Erin Lee (f) b. 20 JUL 1981 Richmond, Wayne Co., Ind.

Gail Miller attended Earlham College grad. 1972 and then attended the Earlham School of Religion 1973/74. She later studied at the Indiana University School of Nursing and grad. as an R.N.

Gordon Miller attended Earlham College grad. 1970 B.S. in Biology; then continued his studies at the University of Connecticut grad. 1973 M.S. Degree in Biobehavioral Science. This was followed by studies at the Earlham College School of Religion 1971-72 and 1973-74. He then entered the Indiana University School of Medicine grad. Doctor of Medicine, serving internship at hospitals in Indianapolis, Ind. He began his medical practice as a member of the staff of the State Hospital at Richmond, Ind. where he now serves.

Gordon's hobbies include genealogy, photography and carpentry. He enjoys restoring landmark-type homes that he owns at Richmond, Indiana including one that is more than 125 years old on the outskirts of Richmond where this family resides.

1025. ALLEN LEE MILLER (Douglas J. Miller, Pauline E., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 JUL 1949 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Douglas Jack Miller and Jeanne M. Laub m. 6 JAN 1969 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Pamela Flegal b. 25 JUL 1949 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Bernard Flegal and Catherine Dietsch.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

1485. Stephanie Lynn b. 17 JUL 1969 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

1486. Laura Marie b. 27 APR 1971 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Pamela Miller had m/1 A. B. Ward by whom she had the following children, (Surname WARD):

(1) Tracey Ann b. 29 JUL 1966 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

(2) Steve Michael b. 6 JUL 1967 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind.

1032. ALAN DAVID MICHAEL (Carolyn S. Withrow, Georgia M., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 MAY 1954 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Wayne Michael and Carolyn Sue Withrow m. 18 AUG 1979 Kokomo, Howard Co., Ind. to Katrina Ona Bliss b. 20 NOV 1955 Kokomo, Ind. dau. of Walter Eugene Bliss and Bonnie Jean Walker.

Children: (Surname MICHAEL)

1487. Jamie b. c.JUL 1979.

In occupation, Katrina Michael is a trained occupational therapist.

Alan Michael serves as youth minister at Russiaville, Indiana.

Family residence in 1980 Kokomo, Indiana.

1034. CYNTHIA SUE (CINDY) MICHAEL (Carolyn S. Withrow, Georgia M., Harmon A., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 22 NOV 1956 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Wayne Michael and Carolyn Sue Withrow m. 11 JUN 1977 at Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Bruce Eugene Ulm b. 11 OCT 1956 Garrett, Ind. s. of Russell Keith Ulm and Treeva Rowena Houck.

Children: (Surname ULM)

1488. Michael Eugene b. 9 NOV 1980 DeKalb Co., Ind.

1039. DAVID KENNETH PLATNER (Mary E. Busz, Ruth L. Perry, Nellie L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 14 JUN 1947 San Jose, Santa Clara Co., Calif. s. of Robert Roy Platner and Mary Elaine Busz m. 15 JUL 1967 in Indiana to Kathryn J. Carpenter b. 12 JUN 1949 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Irvin W. Carpenter and Pauline Fields.

Children: (Surname PLATNER)

1489. Jeffrey David b. 22 NOV 1969 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.

1490. Amanda Dianne b. 7 JUN 1976 Royal Oak, Oakland Co., Mich.

Kathryn Platner attended South College at Orlando, Florida where in 1973 she completed training as a Certified Dental Assistant.

David Platner attended Tri-State University at Angola, Ind. grad. 1969 B.S. Degree in Mechanical Engineering. He also attended Florida Technological University grad. 1976 M.S. Degree. He is employed by Rockwell International Corp. as a Senior Project Engineer.

Residence at Troy, Michigan. Family church affiliation Un. Church of Christ.

1041. PAUL ROBERT PLATNER (Mary E. Busz, Ruth L. Perry, Nellie L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 SEP 1951 s. of Robert Roy Platner and Mary Elaine Busz m. 16 APR 1977 Grass Valley, Nevada Co., Calif. to Leslie Ann Allen; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname PLATNER)

1491. Sara Ramatu b. 26 JAN 1980 Africa.

In 1980, this family resided at Freetown, Sierra Leone, West Africa.

1051. ARLENE ABEL (Isabel I. Abel, Ora H., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 AUG 1944 York, York Co., Pa. dau. of Arthur Franklin Abel and Isabel Irene Huff m. 13 MAY 1972 Lower Windsor Twp., York Co., Pa. to John Edward Lennox b. 17 OCT 1941 Parkersburg, Wood Co., W. Va. s. of Andrew Lennox and Muriel Norton.

Children: (Surname LENNOX)

1492. Emily Kim b. 10 MAY 1978 Korea (Korean name Kim Yun Sun) adopted, naturalized.

1493. Colin Abel b. 29 SEP 1979 Altoona, Blair Co., Pa.

John Lennox PHD obtained his doctorate at the University of Chicago. He is a teacher by profession. He had m/1 - - - - (no issue).

Arlene Lennox attended Lake Erie College at Painesville, Ohio grad. 1966 B.S. Degree. She then attended Simmons College, Boston, Mass. grad. 1967 M.S. Degree in Library Science and is employed as a Librarian.

Residence at Altoona, Pennsylvania.

1052. NORMA JEAN COBURN (Bruce M., Frank M., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 JUL 1936 Hiram, Portage Co., Ohio dau. of Bruce M. Coburn and

Blanche I. Eucker m. 1 AUG 1956 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio to John Carl (Jack) Cape b. 26 MAR 1934 Coraopolis, Allegheny Co., Pa. s. of John Carl Cape and Evelyn Theron Aarons.

Children: (Surname (CAPE))

- 1494. Jeff Gregory b. 20 SEP 1957 Arrington, Cambridge Co., England.
- +1495. Joni Dolores b. 1 MAY 1959.
- 1496. Timothy Bruce b. 28 AUG 1962 Montgomery, Montgomery Co., Ala.

In occupation, Jack Cape is employed as a new car salesman by Martin Chevrolet at Warren, Ohio.

Norma Cape is an avid genealogist and has provided much helpful material from her research efforts on the Coburn line.

1053. DONALD BRUCE COBURN (Bruce M., Frank M., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 SEP 1939 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of Bruce M. Coburn and Blanche I. Eucker m. 18 AUG 1959 at Warren, Ohio to Phyllis June Schmidt b. 3 APR 1940 Warren, Ohio dau. of Robert Henry Schmidt and Thelma Marie Lewis.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 1497. Donald Lee b. 18 JAN 1961 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio.
- 1498. Dawn Marie b. 10 JAN 1962 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio.
- 1499. Scott Bruce b. 13 JAN 1963 d. 20 OCT 1976 (hit by a pickup truck while riding his bicycle), bur. Meadow Brook Mem. Park, Champion, Trumbull Co., Ohio.

Donald Coburn is employed as a welder by Grinnel Co. of Warren, Ohio.

1057. BETTY JEAN GEE (Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 AUG 1924 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Frederick H. Gee and Sylvia M. Stemen m. and divd. Robert Gorden Oberlin b. 5 NOV 1925 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Carl E. Oberlin and Effie Mierly.

Children: (Surname OBERLIN)

- 1500. Kenneth. (remained with his father after the divorce)

Betty Oberlin m/2 Richard Franklin Imbody who d. at Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind. (hung himself while in jail) bur. Columbia City, Ind.; his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname IMBODY)

- +1501. (AD) Sandra K. b. 19 AUG 1942.
- +1502. (AD) Sharon Jean b. 29 APR 1945.
- 1503. (AD) Robert b. Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.
- +1504. (AD) Ronald Allen b. 28 DEC 1949.
- 1505. Richard Jr. b. Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind.

The four adopted children were Betty Jean's children from her first marriage.

Richard Imbody Jr. and Robert Oberlin Imbody were adopted by the Jarbo family of Larwill, Indiana.

1058. FREDERICK SHERMAN GEE (Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 JAN 1926 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Frederick Harmon Gee and Sylvia M. Stemen m. 1 JUL 1948 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Annabelle Margaret Hohl b. 4 DEC 1928 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Frank Hohl and Catharine Dapp.

Children: (Surname GEE)

+1506. Michael Eugene b. 24 AUB 1950.

+1507. Catharine Marie b. 23 JUL 1953.

Frederick Gee is employed by the Dana Corp. at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Residence at Auburn, Indiana.

1059. CLARISE JUNE GEE (Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 JUN 1929 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Frederick Harmon Gee and Sylvia M. Stemen m. 10 JUL 1947 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Harold Ernest Tilghman b. 10 JUL 1927 s. of Alpha Tilghman and Irene Womeck.

Children: (Surname TILGHMAN)

+1508. Diana June b. 2 MAY 1949.

1509. James Ernest b. 10 FEB 1953 m. 25 AUG 1973 Linda Lou Wright; no issue. James Ernest is principal of a centralized school located near Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. where he and Linda reside. She has studied to become a Registered Nurse.

1510. Barry Wayne b. 14 NOV 1961.

Harold Tilghman served in the U.S. Navy. In occupation, he is employed by the Dana Corp. at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Residence at Auburn, Indiana. Family church affiliation Methodist.

1060. CHARLES RICHARD GEE (Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 MAY 1931 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Frederick Harmon Gee and Sylvia M. Stemen m/1 Joan Johnson dau. of Elmer Johnson.

Children: (Surname GEE)

+1511. Cheryle b. 6 AUG 1953.

Charles Gee was a career member of the U.S. Army, now retired. He has had an operation for brain tumor from which he has never completely recovered.

He m/2 23 JUL 1960 Doris Wilson b. 5 FEB 1930 Lebanon, LaClede Co., Mo. dau.

of Ralph Wilson and Eva Mae Kincheloe.

Children: (Surname GEE)

- 1512. (AD) Larry b. 18 JUN 1947; understood to have married twice.
- 1513. (AD) Vincent.
- 1514. (AD) Randolph.

Doris Gee had m/1 - - - - Lewis by whom there were three children above adopted by Charles Richard Gee.

Residence at Fayetteville, North Carolina.

1061. BERNADETTE JANE GEE (Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 DEC 1938 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Frederick Harmon Gee and Sylvia M. Stemen m. 26 MAY 1956 Richard Deardorf b. 13 JAN 1935 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Forest David Deardorf and Nellie Booth.

Children: (Surname DEARDORF)

- 1515. Forest David b. 25 JUN 1957.
- 1516. Greg Alan b. 27 FEB 1959.

Richard Deardorf is employed by the Warner Gear Div. in their plant at Auburn, Indiana.

Residence near Waterloo, Indiana. Church affiliation Methodist.

1067. JEANNE KATHERINE FRANK (J. Russell Frank, Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 11 MAR 1933 August, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of J. Russell Frank and Norma Roland m. 28 JUN 1951 DeKalb Co., Ind. by David Neilson, min. (Church of Christ) to William A. Geiser Jr. b. 13 SEP 1930 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of William M. Geiser and Velma Miller.

Children: (Surname GEISER)

- 1517. Christopher A. b. 19 APR 1958 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Mem. Hospital) m. 23 JUL 1977 at Auburn, Ind. to Brenda M. Shannon. No issue to JUN 1983. Residence at Estes Park, Colorado. Brenda was b. 21 MAY 1959 Auburn, Ind. dau. of James Ronald Shannon and Carolyn Louise Alwood.
- +1518. Annette Jane b. 4 MAR 1953.

William Geiser was a member of the U.S. Navy in 1951. In occupation, he was employed until retirement as a locomotive engineer by the B & O RR.

Residence at rural Auburn, Indiana.

1068. SUE N. FRANK (J. Russel Frank, Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 JUL 1941 (a twin) Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John Russell Frank and Norma Mardell Roland m/1 and divd. Michael Minich; his dates and parentage not given. (married in Calif.)

Children: (Surname MINICH)

----- Russell. (adopted by Sue's third husband)

Sue Minich m/2 22 JUL 1967 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James W. Kendall, min. and divd. Richard A. Smith b. 6 MAR 1943 Ind. s. of Richard J. Smith and Opal E. Poorman. No issue of this marriage.

Sue Smith m/3 3 MAR 1973 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Roy A. Gray, min. and divd. John F. Snyder b. 18 FEB 1933 Auburn, Ind. s. of Raymond Snyder and Marie Brandon.

Children: (Surname SNYDER)

1519. (AD) Russell (Rusty) b. 20 FEB 1963 Philadelphia, Pa.

John Snyder had m/1 and divd.; one child Gina Marie b. c.1963 (res. Morgantown, W. Va.).

In occupation, John is a farmer.

Sue Snyder resides at Auburn, Indiana.

1069. KAY L. FRANK (J. Russell Frank, Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 9 JUL 1941 (a twin) Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John Russell Frank and Norma Mardell Roland m/1 3 FEB 1962 at Auburn, Ind. by Rev. Odin C. Memering and divd. John M. Baxter b. 23 JUL 1937 Auburn, Ind. s. of George Sommers Baxter and Jessie Mary Boland.

Children: (Surname BAXTER)

1520. Patrick Wesley b. 9 SEP 1962.

1521. Timothy M. A. b. 8 MAY 1966.

1522. Daniel Boland b. 28 MAR 1968.

John Baxter was a carpenter in occupation.

Kay Baxter m/2 3 MAR 1978 at Auburn, Ind. by John R. Dicken, pastor (First United Methodist Church) to Robert Jay Wallace b. 19 JUL 1936 Auburn, Ind. s. of Jay Wesley Wallace and Ada Pauline Reed. No issue of this marriage.

Robert Wallace had m/1 and divd. after having these children:

(1) Kelly Alan b. c.1962.

(2) Karla Arlene b. c.1965.

Kay and her twin sister Sue are beauticians and operate the Twinette Beauty Shop in Auburn, Indiana where they both reside.

1075. JOHN ROBERT MEISER (Martha E. Frank, Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 13 OCT 1941 Bellevue, King Co., Wash. s. of Robert E. Meiser and Martha E. Frank m. 12 SEP 1964 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio to Barbara Fritsche b. 10 APR 1944 Morenci, Greenlee Co., Ariz. dau. of Frederick Louis Fritsche and Harriet Ruth Benneche.

Children: (Surname MEISER)

1523. Kristin Anne b. 31 MAY 1967 Irving, Dallas Co., Texas.

Barbara Meiser attended the University of Texas at Arlington grad. 1970 B.S. Degree in English. She also attended Texas Women's University at Denton, Texas grad. 1972 M.S. in Information Science. She is employed as an Information Resource Management Specialist.

John Meiser attended the University of Texas at Arlington grad. 1973 B.S. Degree in Biology. He is employed as a computer engineer.

Residence at Bellevue, Washington.

1076. RICHARD EUGENE MEISER (Martha E. Frank, Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 21 DEC 1946 Doylestown, Wayne Co., Ohio s. of Robert Eugene Meiser and Martha E. Frank m. 6 NOV 1965 Linda Kolonair b. 2 OCT 1947 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio dau. of Andrew Kolonair and Irene Grace Johnson.

Children: (Surname MEISER)

1524. Andrew David b. 26 APR 1966 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.

1525. Stephen Robert b. 31 JAN 1969 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.

1526. Russell Eugene b. 5 NOV 1971 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.

Linda Meiser attends Akron General Medical Center School of Nursing (expects to grad. as RN in 1984).

Richard Meiser attended the University of Akron, Community & Technical College, grad. 1972 with Assoc. Degree in Applied Science, Mechanical Technology. He is employed as Buyer, Ohio Edison Company at Doylestown, Ohio.

1079. HAL WADE JR. (Hal Wade Sr., Merritt R. Wade, Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 31 DEC 1942 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. s. of Hal Wade Sr. and Dorothy Kibbee m. 20 SEP 1963 at Wyandotte, Wayne Co., Mich. to Sue Voss b. 28 SEP 1940 Wyandotte, Mich. dau. of Robert Voss and Lois Heilman.

Children: (Surname WADE)

1527. Amy b. 20 SEP 1967 Kansas City, Jackson Co., Mo.

1528. Paul b. 6 DEC 1969 Kansas City, Jackson Co., Mo.

Hal Wade is a sales manager in occupation. Residence at Cleveland, Ohio. Church affiliation Presbyterian.

1080. CHERYL WADE (Hal Wade Sr., Merritt R. Wade, Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 15 NOV 1948 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. dau. of Hal Wade Sr. and Dorothy Kibbee m. 29 JUN 1967 Lansing, Mich. to Otto Danby III b. 12 SEP 1945 Lansing, Mich. s. of Otto Danby II and Donna Laylin.

Children: (Surname DANBY)

1529. Todd b. 21 AUG 1970 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio.

1530. Nina b. 5 JAN 1973 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio.

Otto Danby III served in the U.S. Air Force. He is a salesman in occupation.

Residence at Pataskata, Ohio. Family church affiliation Presbyterian.

1083. VERNOR WADE (Rex W. Wade, Merritt R. Wade, Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 JAN 1939 Hesperia, Oceana Co., Mich. AD s. of Rex W. Wade and Jean Robertson m. 30 JUL 1960 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. to Carole Elaine Herr b. 28 OCT 1939 Kalamazoo, Mich. dau. of Frederick Harold Herr and Alice Evelyn Swanty.

Children: (Surname WADE)

1531. Anthony Robertson b. 5 SEP 1961 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

1532. John Eric b. 18 DEC 1962 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Residence at Rochester, Minnesota.

1085. LEONARD WADE (Rex W. Wade, Merritt R. Wade, Harriet A., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 SEP 1947 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich. s. of Rex W. Wade and Jean Robertson m. 10 JUL 1970 Grosse Point, Mich. to Nora O'Connor dau. of John O'Connor and Nora Connolly.

Children: (Surname WADE)

1533. Kerri b. 6 SEP 1979 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

In occupation, Leonard Wade is a salesman employed by Alvan Motor Freight of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Residence at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

1121. EARL RICHARD HART (Glen M. Hart, Winifred M., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 21 MAY 1927 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Glen M. Hart and Daisy Beree m. 5 JUN 1951 Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind. by George W. Smith, min. to Jeanette Hoar b. 13 FEB 1928 Salem, Washington Co., Ind. dau. of Bert Hoar and Edith Morris. Earl d. at Elkhart, Ind. 26 MAY 1976 (Leukemia).

Children: (Surname HART)

- +1534. Barbara b. 23 AUG 1952.
- +1535. Elizabeth b. 4 MAY 1954.

Jeanette Hart attended Purdue University grad. 1951 B.S. Physical Education and Home Economics; also grad 1976 M.S. Degree in Home Economics. She has been a teacher in the Elkhart, Ind. High School system.

Earl Hart was active in the Boy Scouts of America, becoming an Eagle Scout and Explorer Scout in his youth. He also was an active worker in the church, serving as a youth leader, deacon, and elder of the church.

Earl attended Purdue University grad. 1951 B.S. Degree in Social Science; also grad. 1956 from Indiana University with M.S. Degree in Education. He was a teacher in the Elkhart, Ind. school system from 1952-1976 in elementary grades and principal in special education for Junior High School delinquent students five years. During 1965-1967, he served as an elementary school supervisor of the American School, Phillipine Islands.

Family residence at Elkhart, Indiana.

1122. JOHN NORMAN (JACK) HART (Elwood R. Hart, Winifred M., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 MAR 1937 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Elwood R. Hart and Thelma Poper m/1 23 APR 1955 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Wm. W. Ballou, min. and divd. Marilyn J. Smith b. 7 MAR 1939 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Virgil F. Smith and Pauline Warstler. No issue of this marriage.

Jack Hart m/2 c.1958 Dorothy Smith b. 11 DEC 1932 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Sidney Smith and Eloise Swartz. They were divd.

Children: (Surname HART)

+1536. Kimberley b. 19 SEP 1959.

1537. Norman b. 2 JUN 1961 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital). Attending Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind. majoring in Pharmacy.

1538. Jennifer b. 25 NOV 1966 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

Dorothy Hart is employed in the office of Cooper Tire Co., Auburn, Indiana. Residence at Waterloo, Indiana.

Jack Hart is believed to have m/3 but nothing further is known.

1130. KATHRYN SUE YEISER (Harold L. Yeiser, Doris D. Keesler, Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 27 OCT 1945 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Harold L. Yeiser and Patricia J. Turner m. 14 JUN 1967 Lynn Huebner b. 8 MAY 19--; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HUEBNER)

1539. Scott b. 16 MAR 1968.

1540. Seth b. 19 SEP 1976.

1133. RHONDA MARIE YEISER (Donald K. Yeiser, Doris D. Keesler, Caroline B., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 MAR 1957 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Donald K. Yeiser and Helen M. Ort m. 21 JUN 1975 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. Michael Guy McDowell b. 19 FEB 1954 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Wilbur McDowell and Patricia J. Phillips.

Children: (Surname McDOWELL)

1541. Ryan Michael b. 8 MAR 1978.

Michael McDowell is a tool and die maker in occupation..

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1143. VICTOR FOREST DERMOTT (Marion Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, A. Marion Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 JUN 1953 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) s. of Marion Dermott and Alverta M. Cain m. 5 MAY 1977 Oak Park, Cook Co., Ill. Madeline Mennon; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

1542. Bernadette b. 30 MAY 1981.

1543. inf. b. Fall, 1983.

Victor Dermott attended St. Joseph College and the Indiana Univ.-Purdue Univ. Local Campus.

Residence at Donners Grove, Illinois.

1145. MARJORIE LOUISE MURPHY (Evelyn F. Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, A. Marion Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 FEB 1939 Antwerp, Paulding Co., Ohio dau. of Robert Murphy and Evelyn F. Dermott m. 10 AUG 1957 Antwerp, Ohio Wayne Dennis b. 12 JUL 1935/36 s. of Howard Dennis and Mildred - - - -.

Children: (Surname DENNIS)

1544. Robert Brent b. 29 MAY 1958 m. 1981 Joni Groves of Bremen, Ohio. She is employed as a substitute school teacher, a graduate of Ohio State University. Robert also attended Ohio State University grad. with B.S. Degree in Archecture and is employed in this capacity. No issue. Residence at Ashville, Ohio.

+1545. Dawn Elaine b. 26 JUL 1959.

Wayne Dennis is employed in carpet sales and installation. Marjorie is employed as school secretary at Edgerton, Ohio.

Residence at Edgerton, Ohio.

1146. MARILYN ANN MURPHY (Evelyn F. Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, A. Marion Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 SEP 1945 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Methodist Hospital) m. 6 JUL 1963 Clyde Andrew Lichty b. DEC 1942 s. of Max Lichty and Mary Taylor.

Children: (Surname LICHTY)

1546. Karen Elaine b. 31 JUL 1965. A student in 1983 at Northwest Technical school near Archbold, Ohio.

1547. Kimberley Ann b. 16 APR 1970.

Marilyn Lichty is employed as manager of the Phelps Dodge credit union at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Residence at Antwerp, Ohio.

1147. DALE LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 NOV 1923 d. 24 MAR 1958 (rheumatic fever) s. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. JAN 1948 Wilhelmina H. Sebastian b. 15 JUN 19-- dau. of Charles Frederick Sebastian and Hattie Anna Nicklis.

Children: (Surname LOCKE)

- +1548. Danny Lee b. 28 DEC 1949.
- 1549. Cindy b. 18 JUN 1954; m. - - - - Cockcraft.
- +1550. Roberta (Robin) b. 7 MAR 1956.

Dale Locke is bur. Dayburgh Cem., near Quincy, Michigan.

1148. MARGIE LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 2 JAN 1925 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. 23 JUN 1946 Butler Twp., Branch Co., Mich. (Dayburg Baptist Church) to Wayne Nutt b. 26 JUN 1924 Coldwater, Mich. s. of Charles Nutt and Olive Park.

Children: (Surname NUTT)

- 1551. Larry Wayne b. 8 DEC 1948 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 30 DEC 1969 Mardel Haynes dau. of Delmer and Martha Haynes.
- 1552. Kathleen Marie (Kathy) b. 10 SEP 1951 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 15 MAY 1971 Ronald Waligora.
- 1553. Rebecca Sue (Becky) b. 21 SEP 1957 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 18 JUN 1977 Ted Rogers.

Residence at Quincy, Michigan.

1149. MAYBELLE LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 MAY 1926 Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. 3 NOV 1946 Quincy, Mich. George Mohrhardt s. of Christian Mohrhardt and Beatrice Ione Corless.

Children: (Surname MOHRHARDT)

- +1554. Christine Ruth b. 16 MAR 1949.
- 1555. Charles Richard b. 9 FEB 1951 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1556. Craig Robert b. 3 AUG 1955 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1557. Cavin Ray b. 7 MAR 1958 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1558. Curt Randy b. 17 AUG 1962 South Haven, Van Buren Co., Mich.

Residence at Spring Lake, Michigan.

1150. ADALINE LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 JAN 1928 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. 29 JAN 1949 Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. David Rifenburgh b. 3 JUL 1927 Bronson, Branch Co., Mich. s. of John S. Rifenburgh and Edna Miller.

Children: (Surname RIFENBURGH)

- 1559. Sandra b. 31 MAR 1954 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 12 FEB 1978 at Quincy, Mich. (E. Algansee Baptist Church) to Richard Miller b. 15 MAY 1954 Boscobel, Mich. s. of Buford and Mildred Miller.
- 1560. Patricia b. 28 JAN 1957 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1561. Tamara b. 25 JUL 1959 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1562. Timothy b. 23 DEC 1960 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1563. Nancy b. 7 APR 1965 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.

Residence at Bronson, Michigan.

1151. CHARLES LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 8 NOV 1930 Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. s. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. 16 OCT 1954 Hudson, Lenawee Co., Mich. Sandra Dee Green b. 23 MAY 1935 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Rex Green and Francys Lord.

Children: (Surname LOCKE)

- +1564. Stephen b. 25 MAR 1956 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 27 SEP 1980 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. to Cheryl Ann Stephenson.
- 1565. Teri (f) b. 30 MAY 1960 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.

Residence at Quincy, Michigan.

1152. RICHARD LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 10 DEC 1935 Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. s. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. 29 JUN 1962 Quincy, Mich. to Fran Joan Wilson b. 4 JAN 1938 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Sidney Bert Wilson and Veda Corrine Holsinger.

Children: (Surname LOCKE)

- 1566. (AD) Sheryl Lynn b. 6 SEP 1964 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1567. (AD) Scott Wilson b. 3 FEB 1967 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.

Residence at Quincy, Michigan.

1153. LOIS LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 JAN 1939 Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. 25 MAR 1956 Quincy, Mich.

Lauren Bracey b. 8 JUL 1934 Quincy, Mich. s. of Andrew Duff Bracey and Mildred Elizabeth Norton.

Children: (Surname BRACEY)

- 1568. Douglas Wayne b. 20 SEP 1956 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 24 JUN 1979 Quincy, Mich. to Deborah Bercaw.
- 1569. Andrew Duff b. 23 JUL 1960 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 10 JUL 1982 Quincy, Mich. to Michele McDonald.
- 1570. Richard Lee (Rick) b. 18 MAR 1962 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1571. Michael Robert b. 2 NOV 1970 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.

Lauren Bracey is a contractor in occupation.

Residence at Quincy, Michigan.

1154. CAROLYN LOCKE (Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 22 AUG 1943 dau. of Emmett Locke and Ruth O. Abel m. 30 DEC 1960 Daniel Booher b. 5 OCT 1941 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. s. of Kenneth Cleo Booher and Wilma E. Gibson.

Children: (Surname BOOHER)

- 1572. Kimberly Kay b. 13 OCT 1961 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1573. Lisa Lynn b. 6 MAR 1965 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.
- 1574. Jason Daniel b. 1 NOV 1975 Coldwater, Branch Co. Mich.

Residence at Quincy, Michigan.

1156. MARIAN COURT (Mary Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 SEP 1930 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. m. 1 JUL 1953 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. to Leo Stapelton b. 20 JAN 1926 Chelsea, Suffolk Co., Mass. s. of Leo J. Stapelton and Edna Post.

Children: (Surname STAPELTON)

- 1575. Michael b. 18 MAR 1958 Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Mich. m. 20 AUG 1983 Martha Gayle Barnes.
- 1576. Julie b. 18 AUG 1959 Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Mich.
- 1577. Carol b. 30 JUL 1961 Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Mich.
- 1578. Matthew b. 26 DEC 1965 Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co., Mich.

Residence at Ann Arbor, Michigan.

1158. RONALD VEALEY (Madge M. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) s. of Truesdell F. Vealey and Madge M. Abel m. Sally - - - -.

Children: (Surname VEALEY)

1579. Mary.
1580. Kim (f).

1159. SHARON VEALEY (Madge M. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) m. Guy Collins; no further information given.

Children: (Surname COLLINS)

1581. Tami.
1582. Becky.
1583. Timothy.

1161. KATHLEEN MILLER (M. Irene Dermott, Deo Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 MAR 1933 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich. dau. of Peter Miller and M. Irene Dermott m/1 17 JUL 1954 Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Mich. to James Bogart b. 22 APR 1932 Sturgis, Mich. d. 7 JUN 1961 bur. Sturgis, Mich. s. of Henry Bogart and Arlene Perk.

Children: (Surname BOGART)

1584. Mary Carolyn b. 9 MAY 1955. Attended the University of Michigan grad 1977 B.S. Degree. Employed by the firm Abraham & Strauss of New York, N.Y. as a buyer.
1585. Lynn Ellen b. 17 DEC 1957 m. 9 FEB 1980 at Sturgis, Mich. to David Brand b. 28 JUN 1956 s. of John Edward Brand and Marjorie Eleanor Lutz. No issue to MAR 1984. Lynn attended Eastern Michigan University grad. B.A. Degree and is employed as office manager by a large travel agency.

James Bogart attended Butler University School of Pharmacy grad. 1954.

Kathleen Bogart m/2 29 NOV 1968 at Sturgis, Mich. Ned Caywood b. 31 MAY 1921 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. s. of Harry E. Caywood and Pearl States.

Kathleen Caywood attended Western Michigan University grad. 1967 B.S. Degree and 1978 M.S. Degree. She is employed as a teacher in the public schools at Sturgis, Michigan.

Residence at Sturgis, Michigan.

1162. JEANENE L. MILLER (M. Irene Dermott, Deo Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 JUN 1936 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich. dau. of Peter Miller and M. Irene Dermott m. 21 JUN 1958 Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Mich. to Dean Lewis b. 7 OCT 1933 Sturgis, Mich. s. of Elmer Ansel Lewis and Etta Doren.

Children: (Surname LEWIS)

- 1586. Jane Patrice b. 17 NOV 1959 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.
- 1587. Johnathon Dean b. 16 SEP 1961 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.
- 1588. Thomas Peter b. 3 MAY 1964 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.
- 1589. David Allen b. 12 APR 1966 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.
- 1590. James Kendall b. 6 JAN 1969 Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Mich.

Dean Lewis attended Olivet College grad. 1955 Liberal Arts Degree. He continued his education at the University of Michigan where he obtained his Doctorate of Law in 1958; is now an Attorney at Law.

Jeanene attended Western Michigan University grad. B.A. Degree in Education; currently in graduate school working toward her Master's Program in Education.

Residence at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

1163. ROSE MARIE DERMOTT (J. Evans Dermott, Deo Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 AUG 1946 Constantine, St. Joseph Co., Mich. dau. of J. Evans Dermott and Lura M. Barr m. Rev. Charles Dobbs.

Children: (Surname DOBBS)

- 1591. Sara Rose b. c.1976.
- 1592. Silas William b. c.1978.
- 1593. Anna Marie b. SEP 1982.

Residence near San Diego, California.

1164. SONET EBY (Betty R. Dermott, Deo Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 20 MAY 1942 m. 8 JUN 1963 Robert Gooding; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname GOODING)

- 1594. Bonnie b. JUL 1964.
- 1595. Carmen b. AUG 1967.
- 1596. James b. AUG 1968.
- 1597. Robert b. 7 JUN 1972.

Robert Gooding attended Western Michigan University. He is employed at Coldwater Junior High School as Baseball & Basketball Coach and Shop teacher.

Sonet attended Ferris Institute at Big Rapids, Mich. and is employed as a doctor's receptionist.

1166. ROSCOE MOORE (Violet M. Dermott, Olon L. Dermott, J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 30 MAR 1925 s. of Albert Moore and Violet Marie Dermott m. 4 AUG 1944 Mary Elizabeth Whittenbaugh b. 7 OCT 1922 dau. of Willis Whittenbaugh and Ruth Edna Green.

Children: (Surname MOORE)

1598. Kathleen b. 10 JAN 1947 m. 6 APR 1973 - - - -Mudiaja (or Fgandu) b. Zaire, Africa. One child named Tshilumbia b. 14 JUN 1978.
- +1599. Richard Allan b. 23 AUG 1949.
1600. Stanley Lynn b. 26 AUG 1951 m. 30 AUG 1972 Kathi Polites. No issue to MAR 1983).

Residence at Madison, Wisconsin.

1168. MARY MOORE (Violet M. Dermott, Olon L. Dermott, J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 AUG 1928 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Albert Moore and Violet Marie Dermott m. 14 JUL 1947 Steuben Co., Ind. Keith Castner b. 28 OCT 1925 Steuben Co., Ind. s. of Grover D. Castner and Blanche Olive Beigh.

Children: (Surname CASTNER)

1601. Michael Elton b. 14 OCT 1949 Steuben Co., Ind. m. 3 MAR 1975 at San Mateo, Calif. to Laurlee Wyant b. San Mateo, Calif. dau. of William Henry Wyant and Beatrice Alice Hayes.
1601. Daryl Lavon b. 4 NOV 1955 Eaton Co., Mich.

Residence at Charlotte, Michigan.

1169. SHARON LOUISE DERMOTT (Howard R. Dermott, Olon L. Dermott, J. Miller Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 3 JUN 1939 dau. of Howard Reed Dermott and Evelyn E. Hook m. Benny Santana; no further information given.

Children: (Surname SANTANA)

1602. Benny Jr. b. 12 MAY 1959.
1603. Debbie b. 27 MAR 1960.
1604. Steven b. 7 DEC 1961.
1605. Deanna Marie b. 7 JUN 1963.

Sharon Santana m/2 Hugo Diaz. Residence at Cherry Creek, N. Y.

1373. BRENDA LEE LOTHAMER (Leatrice J., Victor G., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 5 JUL 1957 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital) dau. of Wilbur L. Lothamer and Leatrice J. Coburn m. 20 OCT 1977 Ft. Devins, Mass. (Military Chapel) to Robert G. Shaefer Jr. b. 19 DEC 1956 s. of Robert G. Shaefer Sr.

In NOV 1981, Robert Shaefer was serving his second enlistment in the U.S. Army stationed in Stuttgart, Germany with the rank of Sergeant.

1374. GINA MARIE LOTHAMER (Leatrice J., Victor G., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 AUG 1958 Hicksville, Defiance Co.,

Ohio dau. of Wilbur L. Lothamer and Leatrice J. Coburn m. 20 NOV 1977 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by Justice of Peace to Gerald Treesh b. 29 SEP 1956 s. of William Treesh and Peggy Brown.

Children: (Surname TREESH)

1606. Jami Lynn b. 4 APR 1980 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Memorial Hospital).

Gerald Treesh is employed in a music store and also works in a restaurant.

Residence at Noblesville, Indiana.

1376. KELLY KAY LOTHAMER (Leatrice J., Victor G., Earl L., Calvin L., William R., Gurden, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 JUN 1961 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital) m. 18 JUL 1981 New Haven, Allen Co., Ind. (Emanuel Lutheran Church) to Mark David Fritch b. 31 MAY 1961 s. of Robert Fritch and Betsy Stone.

Mark Fritch is an employe of Joint & Clutch Co. and also by the Louis Delagrang Realty Co.

1495. JONI DOLORES CAPE (Norma J., Bruce M., Frank M., Bruce, Otis R., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 1 MAY 1959 Arrington, Cambridge Co., England dau. of John C. Cape and Norma J. Coburn m. 21 JAN 1978 Champion, Trumbull Co., Ohio to Richard Allen Everson s. of Richard Delano Everson and Mary Lucille Slusher.

Children: (Surname EVERSON)

1607. Erin Rae b. 12 JUN 1981 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio.

Richard Everson is employed by the U. S. Gypsum Co. at Warren, Ohio and Joni is employed as a teller by the First Federal Bank of Warren, Ohio.

1501. SANDRA KAY IMBODY (Betty J. Gee, Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 AUG 1942 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. AD dau. of Richard Franklin Imbody and Betty Jean Gee m. 26 AUG 1960 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. J. F. Bright to Donald Nelson Johnson b. 3 MAY 1935 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Herbert Leroy Johnson and Madonna Roland.

Children: (Surname JOHNSON)

1608. Patricia A. b. 28 APR 1961.

1609. Lynn M. b. 23 JUL 1962.

1610. Laura L. b. 28 JUN 1963.

1611. Donald N. Jr. b. 25 APR 1969.

Donald Johnson's occupation at time of marriage was given as laborer.

1502. SHARON JEAN IMBODY (Betty J. Gee, Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 29 APR 1945 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. AD dau. of Richard Franklin Imbody and Betty Jean Gee m. 31 OCT 1965 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by E. Lyle Harvey, min. to Donald Eugene Wisener b. 28 SEP 1939 Van Wert Co., Ohio s. of Robert Wisener and Helen Reed.

Children: (Surname WISENER)

- 1612. Lisa Ann b. 29 DEC 1966.
- 1613. Brian Eugene b. 18 JAN 1968.
- 1614. Tina Marie b. 27 JUN 1972.
- 1615. Brad Alan b. 7 FEB 1977.

At time of marriage, Donald Wisener's occupation was factory worker and Sharon was employed as a clerk by the Lincoln National Life Insurance Co. at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

1504. RONALD ALLEN IMBODY (Betty J. Gee, Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 DEC 1949 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. AD s. of Richard Franklin Imbody and Betty Jean Gee m. 24 AUG 1974 at Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Max Smith, min. and divd. Lou Ann Morrow b. 21 JUL 1958 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Donald Morrow and June Schoonover.

Children: (Surname IMBODY)

- 1616. Ronald Allen Jr. b. 16 FEB 1976.

1506. MICHAEL EUGENE GEE (Frederick S. Gee, Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 24 AUG 1950 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Frederick S. Gee and Annabelle M. Hohl m. 17 OCT 1970 Jonette Kay Owens b. 28 MAY 1952 Huntington, Huntington Co., Ind. dau. of Robert Owens and Mabel Wendt.

Children: (Surname GEE)

- 1617. Brian Michael.

Jonette is one-half Miami Indian and has received two grants from the U. S. Government. She is employed by the Betz Nursing Home at Auburn, Ind.

Michael is employed as a city policeman at Auburn, Indiana where the family resides.

1507. CATHERINE MARIE GEE (Frederick S. Gee, Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 SEP 1953 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Frederick S. Gee and Annabelle M. Hohl m. 27 NOV 1971 and divd. 20 APR 1977 Craig Andrew Baumgardner b. 17 JUL 1950 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.; his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname GEE - born after divorce when mother's maiden name was restored)

1618. Robert Frederick Gee b. 25 JUL 1977.

Catherine Gee m/2 22 JUL 1978 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Patricia J. Clark, Clerk-Treasurer, City of Auburn, Ind. to James Edward Long b. 1 MAR 1956 Auburn, Ind. s. of James William Long Jr. and Freda Jeanette Tuttle.

Children: (Surname LONG)

1619. Aaron John b. 21 APR 1979 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.

1508. DIANA JUNE TILGHMAN (Clarise J. Gee, Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 12 MAY 1949 Ind. dau. of Harold E. Tilghman and Clarise June Gee m. 16 DEC 1967 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by James W. Randall, min. to Donald Dale Meschberger b. 11 FEB 1947 Ind. s. of Lester Kenneth Meschberger and Mary Elizabeth Kennett.

Children: (Surname MESCHBERGER)

1620. Darin Neil b. 21 OCT 1968.

1621. Denise Ellen b. 27 JUN 1973.

At the time of marriage, Donald Meschberger was a member of the U. S. Army stationed at Ft. Steward, Ga. and Diana was employed as a secretary.

1511. CHERYLE GEE (Charles R. Gee, Frederick H. Gee, Mary R. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 6 AUG 1953 dau. of Charles Richard Gee and Joan Johnson m. David Johnson; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname JOHNSON)

1622. Stuart Michael b. 8 JUL 1977 Norfolk, Va.

David is understood to be employed in the electronics field.

Residence in California.

1518. ANNETTE JANE GEISER (Jeanne K. Frank, J. Russell Frank, Anna B. Baker, Sarah J., Russell G., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 MAR 1953 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William Arthur Geiser Jr. and Jeanne K. Frank m. 26 JUL 1976 Auburn, Ind. to Randolph Swank; his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname SWANK)

1623. Aris Jeanne b. 4 FEB 1977 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

1624. Jessica Ruth b. 19 APR 1980 South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Ind. (Memorial Hospital).

1534. BARBARA HART (Earl R. Hart, Glen M. Hart, Winifred M., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 23 AUG 1952 Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind. dau. of Earl Richard Hart and Jeanette Hoar m. 28 JUN 1975 at Elkhart, Ind. to James Snell b. 17 MAR 1951 Elkhart, Ind. s. of Albert Eugene Snell and Joyce Bechtel.

Children: (Surname SNELL)

1625. Jennefer Erin b. 4 MAR 1979 Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind.

James attended Purdue University grad. 1975 B.S. Degree in Pharmacy. He was employed from 1975 to 1980 as manager of a Super-X Drug Store and from 1980 to the present as a pharmacist in a Hooks Drug Store.

Barbara attended Purdue University grad. 1975 B.S. Degree in Home Economics and took her graduate studies at Indiana University grad. 1980 M.S. Degree in Special Education. She has been employed in the Junior High School at Goshen, Ind. and later in a Senior High School in the Elkhart, Ind. school system.

Barbara is an excellent seamstress and has traveled around the world.

1535. ELIZABETH HART (Earl R. Hart, Glen M. Hart, Winifred M., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 4 MAY 1954 Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind. dau. of Earl Richard Hart and Jeanette Hoar m. 4 JUN 1977 at Elkhart, Ind. to Kenneth Jacobs b. 15 SEP 1952 Bloomington, McLean Co., Ill. s. of Donald Lee Jacobs and Marie Elsie Ann Reinking.

Children: (Surname JACOBS)

1626. Rachel b. 14 SEP 1981 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich.

Kenneth Jacobs attended Concordia College at Fort Wayne, Ind. and then two years at Cambridge University in England. This was followed by two years study at Yale University and one year at Lutheran Seminary in St. Louis, Mo., grad. with Degree in Divinity. He later attended the University of Iowa for two years and grad. 1970 with a Degree in Law.

Kenneth served four summers as chaplain at Lord of the Lakes Chapel, Corey Lake Camp, Elkhart, Ind. For one year, he did writing while attending Divinity School at St. Louis, Mo. He then served one year as vicar in a Lutheran Church at Chicago, Ill. and for two years as an interim minister while attending law school at the University of Iowa. He is now practicing law with a 50-member law firm in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Elizabeth Jacobs attended Purdue University grad. 1977 B.S. Degree in Elementary Education. She also studied in 1976 at the University of Madrid in Spain. In 1978, she taught in the elementary school system at Hammond, Ind., and in 1979-80 in an elementary school in Iowa.

Elizabeth has traveled completely around the world as well as through the countries in South America. One summer was spent in an orphanage in Mexico as a learning experience.

1536. KIMBERLEY HART (John N. Hart, Elwood R. Hart, Winifred M., Charles M., Charles M., Ebenezer Jr., Ebenezer Coburn) b. 19 SEP 1959 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John Norman Hart and Dorothy Smith m. 30 APR 1977 Auburn, Ind. to Edward Pfefferkorn b. 15 APR 1958 s. of Alfred Pfefferkorn and Myra Horstman.

Children: (Surname PFEFFERKORN)

1627. Jeremy b. 29 SEP 1977.

1628. inf. b. APR 1983.

COBURN FAMILY

GENERATION NINE
(Coburntown Branch)

1545. DAWN ELAINE DENNIS Marjorie L. Murphy, Evelyn F. Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, A. Marion Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 26 JUL 1959 dau. of Wayne Dennis and Marjorie Louise Murphy m. JUN 1978 to Keith Van Horn.

Children: (Surname VAN HORN)

1629. Adam Keith b. 21 FEB 1980.

1630. Brent Joseph b. 31 AUG 1981.

Keith Van Horn has been a teacher at the High School in Bryan, Ohio and is presently student counselor at that facility.

Dawn Van Horn is employed as secretary at the Chamber of Commerce of Bryan, Ohio.

1548. DANNY LEE LOCKE (Dale Locke, Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 28 DEC 1949 s. of Dale Locke and Wilhelmina H. Sebastian m/1 23 SEP 1968 and divd. 21 FEB 1970 Stephanie Petroff; her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname LOCKE)

1631. Jacqueline (Jakki) Ann b. 6 MAY 1969.

1632. Jeffrey Dale b. 20 JUN 1970.

Danny m/2 25 FEB 1978 at Tekonsha, Calhoun Co., Mich. (1st Baptist Church) to Barbara Ann Lenon b. 1 JAN 1952 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of Clarence Edwin Lenon and Blanche Edna Thomas.

Children: (Surname LOCKE)

1633. (AD) Dawn Marie b. 29 JAN 1971.

1634. (AD) Amy Michelle b. 25 JAN 1973.

1635. (AD) Shannon Kay b. 29 JAN 1976.

Barbara Locke had m/1 Michael James Mahaffey by whom she had three daughters which were adopted by her 2nd husband Danny Locke.

Both Danny and Barbara previously worked in the Michigan Dept. of Mental Health. They are now employed as corrections officers by the Marquette Branch Prison at Marquette, Michigan.

1550. ROBERTA (ROBIN) LOCKE (Dale Locke, Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 7 MAR 1956 dau. of Dale Locke and Wilhelmina H. Sebastian m. 10 JUL 1976 Duck Lake, Calhoun Co., Mich. to Berton Duane Bibler b. 29 SEP 1951 Eaton Rapids, Eaton Co., Mich. s. of Samuel Albert Bibler and Donna Lee Wright.

Children: (Surname BIBLER)

- 1636. Heather Sue b. 17 JAN 1978 Eaton Rapids, Eaton Co., Mich.
- 1637. Joseph Dale b. 13 OCT 1979 Soldotna, Southcentral Co., Alaska.
- 1638. Rebecca Lee b. 28 MAY 1983 Eaton Rapids, Eaton Co., Mich.

Residence at Albion, Michigan.

1554. CHRISTINE RUTH MOHRHARDT (Maybelle Locke, Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 16 MAR 1949 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. dau. of George Mohrhardt and Maybelle Locke m. 7 JUL 1973 Spring Lake, Ottawa Co., Mich. to William Clark Schwidder b. 1 NOV 1947 Fort Dodge, Webster Co., Iowa s. of Dr. Art. J. Schwidder and Delmar Clark.

Children: (Surname SCHWIDDER)

- 1639. William Mohrhardt b. 18 APR 1978 Williamsport, Lycoming Co., Pa.
- 1640. Nicholas Mohrhardt b. 24 NOV 1980 North Andover, Lawrence Co., Mass.

Residence at North Andover, Massachusetts.

1564. STEPHEN (STEVE) LOCKE (Charles Locke, Ruth O. Abel, Claudia C. Dermott, J. Evans Dermott, Phoebe, Asher W., Asher, Ebenezer Coburn) b. 25 MAR 1956 Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich. s. of Charles Locke and Sandra D. Green m. 27 SEP 1980 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. to Cheryl Ann Stephenson b. 20 SEP 1960 Coldwater, Mich. dau. of Donald Burr Stephenson and Vera Maxine Lambright.

Children: (Surname LOCKE)

- 1641. Ryan Stephen b. 9 JAN 1984 Coldwater, Mich.

CIVIL WAR DIARY
of
Q. M. Sergeant J. O. Coburn
Co. I, 6th Michigan Cavalry

This previously unpublished diary recounts the tragic conditions and events experienced by a Union soldier from the time of his capture in October, 1863 until his death 8 March 1864 in the Belle Isle prison camp at Richmond, Virginia.

A fellow prisoner and deathbed companion wrote to the father of Sgt. Coburn, "your son fell a victim to the inhuman treatment of our captors, and I do not overstate the truth when I say that he literally starved to death on Bell Isle."

This diary is believed to be a significantly important record of the Civil War period because of the lucid accounts of the daily occurrences which were observed by an obviously intelligent and educated man.

After the death of Jacob Osborn Coburn, the sergeant in charge of his hospital ward took the diary and kept it in his possession until after the war. He managed to get a letter through to Osborn's father, Rev. John F. Coburn, DeKalb County, Indiana, telling of his death, which occurred very suddenly after a long illness and seeming recovery. After the war, the sergeant, who was a Northern man, either delivered or sent the diary to John F. Coburn.

In the late 1930's, the Rev. Walter H. Coburn, using the original handwritten diary, endeavored to copy off as accurately as possible the Civil War Diary of Jacob Osborn Coburn. Rev. Coburn describes the original diary:

"It is leather bound about 3 x 5 in size. The leather looks like cowhide, I suspect tan originally, but now a beautiful brown. It has a flap on the back cover with two slots to put the flap through so that it is quite closed to be carried. It is lined fairly closely. Uncle's writing in the beginning was good - not esthetically - but easily read. Finally he realized he was running out of space and then wrote two lines to a ruled line. Also, as he grew weaker his writing deteriorated making it more difficult to decipher. Also, there is a slight difference in letter formation adding to the difficulty. But the book was in excellent condition. One marvels at the condition when you consider the crowded prison conditions. The writing as well as the English shows a fairly well educated man. He was in the cavalry."

The pages which follow are a faithful reproduction of Rev. Coburn's transcription of the handwritten diary.

Oct. 18th, 1863. Fight commenced at 7:00 A.M. at 9:00 A.M. the entire Federal command was marching under a strong guard. We had no breakfast & marched till 11 O.C. next day with nothing to eat when we got one lb. of beef without any salt.

Oct. 19th. Eating some beef half cooked on coals without salt we rested till 3 1/2¹ O.C. when we left the South bank of the North branch of Shenandoah, Banks' old battle field near Fort Royal & moved across South branch. Did not go to Strassburg as was first intended a Fed. force being in the way as we learned. This P. M. we moved on way up the stream along the streams rocky path & camped in a narrow valley upon the bank of the Shenandoah between two ranges of mountains.

Oct. 20th. Our route is yet up the narrow and interesting valley. How great the contrast between this and the lower valley. There a gentle undulating surface once in a fair state of cultivation with Bolwin Hts. and Bunker Hill rising perceptibly above the other points & well watered by beautiful small brooks. Here the valley is not more than two miles wide at any place, often not 1/2 of a mile and then very much "cut up." We have eaten one small piece of meat at "M." Now at 3 O.C. we are encamped upon a small plateau and preparations are making for a "repast." This is up to 3:00 P. M.

Contrary to expectations we remained here throughout the day. Drew some more meat & bread & have plenty to eat. Our treatment on the whole is somewhat better than I expected but the walk is very severe. Weather has cleared away & is becoming quite pleasant.

Oct. 21st. We awoke this morning with a clear sky overhead. Glorious "Old Sol" is spreading his golden light broadcast over the green capped mountains that seem entirely to surround us. The drooping branches of the cedars, the cone topped Pines interspersed here & there with the chestnuts gold tinted by frost's displeasure, the occasional chirping of a bird or whistle of a quail aye, everything trying to make me believe I am not a prisoner of war. But the steady watch of the sentinel near me, the tramp of "Grayback" troops all around, assures me that it is too true & that escape is impossible. Well we have a long march ahead today, & the "order" is to start & march we did till we had passed on & up the narrow valley, through a gap in the mountains resting a while upon the summit attained then passing down, down, down to the Shenandoah proper (the other being but a tributary) which we had to ford. A mile or two more & we were upon the "Staunton Pike" where the Shenandoah proper presented itself to our view in all its beauty, grandeur, age, & glory, though its best portion is marred by the effects of war. Distant mountain ridges look beautiful while the undulating surface of the vale is really picturesque.

October 22nd. The morning opens beautiful from our camp about one mile S. of the little village of Mount Jackson. We are getting ready to move.

1) General Banks (Nathaniel Prentiss Banks (1816-1894), a Federal general in the Civil War.

3 O.C. We are resting. I am beneath the shade of the red cedars upon the bank of a clear running brook. The mountain range a few miles to the southward is but a shade or two deeper blue than the clear sky above. The country is very pretty & Oct. has done much to improve it but that other "Act of War" has in places made sad havoc of the architecture, mechanics & laborers effort. Our march along "The Pike," a well McAdamized road, is a very tedious one. We cannot get enough to eat. The citizens have not got it. One told a soldier, "If it had not been for our (your) d--d army we could have had plenty." Yankee replied, "If it hadn't been for their (your) d--d army ours would not have passed through here." Secesh replied, "Well thats so." seeming to appreciate all that was said & meant. We shall have to move soon wonder how soon our "days march" will end & how near is that to the end of our march? Continued our march to within two miles of Harrisonburg, where we camped. I think I never was so footsore fatigued & completely worried out as tonight.

October 23rd. Feel much rested this morning & resumed the march with more ease & comfort than I anticipated. The weather was cool & I stand the march quite well, but a dream I had night before last is yet much in my mind. I dreamed that my Mattie² was then living, but circumstances required that I should leave her & marry another & that I had contracted such marriage, with her knowledge & consent. We were separated for a while, quite a long while, & that I had some pleasant time with my new spouse (to her). But by some strange circumstance, I met Mattie. In a little log house in a strange wild place my old love for her immediately returned (renewed)³. I seized her, embraced her & wept. It awoke me & I was yet weeping. A little sadness continues to follow me. Just at night it commenced raining & at near dark we were marched into a piece of woods to camp, while it rained dreadfully. O what a cheerless night & yet the boys would sing Union songs & sing them right lusty too. The night was passed with half rations for supper of fresh beef & in keeping up fire with but very little rest or sleep. And now I think of it I will mention the amount of fare we have had during the march. Sunday, had the fight without any breakfast, were taken & marched 28 mile Stopping near 12 O.C. at night, laid down in the rain till daylight, then marched about ten miles & got about one lb. of fresh (nearly so) beef, about 11 O.C. Monday marched again till dark & got one lb. of flour & half lb. of beef with salt. Tuesday marched all day without rations till dark received then three crackers 3/4 lb. beef with salt, Wednesday and Thursday same. Friday marched all day, had only 1/2 lb. beef for supper and laid in the rain all night.

October 24th. This is Saturday and the seventh day of our march. We are at Staunton having marched seven miles through a light rain & camped in a shed stable partially cleaned. An abundance of hard bread, some poor bacon & plenty of fresh beef was furnished us.

October 25th. Sunday and just one week after our capture we find ourselves all ready to take the "cars" for Richmond & we were agreeably surprised to find ourselves on board well warmed passenger coaches, with a very pleasant day Phoenix

2) His deceased wife.

3) Not certain of word.

and a fine undulating country so far. Appears to be getting more level but mountain tops are to be seen in the distance in various directions. Waynesborough County thus far about the same. The village has perhaps five-hundred souls. Greenwood is East of two tunnels in the blue ridge then W. 3/4 of a mile the other sixty rods of course it is very rough but a nice valley is to the right of us and below us. Charlottesville three thousand. Nice and pleasant country E. of Blue Ridge. Gordonsville three or four thousand or thereabouts, country getting undulating. Seems to be well defended by artillery, have been sleeping and missed the country back of Charlottesville. My eyes are very sore and annoy me very much. Well saw that much of the country is very level wet & uninteresting from Gordonsville to Richmond there was nothing worth mentioning. Arrived at Richmond about 8 O.C. and were marched to an old Tobacco house near "Libby Prison" where we turned in without any rations all day. Slept upon a dirty floor without any covers or anything under us.

October 26th. Monday. We are up with the sun having slept soundly from previous lack of sleep & fatigue for there was nothing else inviting to repose. We find here a few troops from Burnside's, Grant's & Rosecrans' army, brought in lately. The news from the various seats of war are full as encouraging as we could expect through Rebel sources probably far less so than our own papers would have us believe. At 3 O.C. rations are issued to us. Just half rations of good soft bread & good boiled beef. I ate part of mine only as I shall need the balance more in the morning. The time is passed principally in walking the floor, telling war scenes, adverse times &c. We "go to bed" early to secure a favorable position on the floor. Wrote a short letter to Father and Eva⁴ to be sent by flag or truce boat which is here.

October 27th. The sun rose tolerably clear this morning & it would be a treat to be able to promenade the streets of Richmond but prisoners have no such privileges. It is quite a novelty to me as I was never before in any manner under duress & can truly say that no earthly record of any kind can show ought against me. My name does not appear even as the party to any suit of law. O how I hope this may continue to be true & that the Great Book will show as clear a record for me.

God smiles outside in the genial rays of the shining sun & everything seems bright. We are told that a general exchange of prisoners occurred on the 1st. of Nov. I trust that He is thus smiling upon us & that we shall soon cease to be prisoners, thought it be but little more pleasant to be in any part of the army service. I am certainly thinking of home & friends. One picture only have I left all the rest are captured or destroyed. My money has been taken away from me & only Eva⁵ is taken from my pocket at times to smile upon me & assure me that she has remained with me as my guardian angel & that I certainly shall outlive the war to be happy with her. The day passes on relieved only by our attempted game of chess. Myself & opponent are both amateur players hence but little real interest in the game. We received our usual 1/2 load of bread & small piece of meat. We are told the bread ration will be doubled to us tomorrow.

4) His fiancée.

5) The one picture must have been of Eva.

Oct. 28. Wednesday. Looking from the window we behold a pretty Autumn morning outside, which has a slight influence upon the feeling of the prisoners within but we want Liberty. The hearts of the men are cheered up this morning by the report said ~~to have~~ come from a Rebel officer that we were to be immediately paroled & sent to Point Lookout until further arrangements could be made concerning us. This may be so, I hope it is but I have long since learned to give little credence to "Camp rumors." O how I long for something to read merely to while away the tedious hours but nothing is to be had, So we sit & look & listen, wish & wonder till we are tired. Yet there is little gloom & discontent manifest. The men generally keep up a cheerful appearance & make the best of a hard fate. Well I have written so much early in the morning. Let us see what occurs through the day.

The sun is setting gloriously & from the windows of our prison room the scene is a golden one. The rippling water of the ancient James glistening beneath the soft yellow rays of the setting, the gold tinted leaves of the Shinebery⁶ near & distant forest, the milky azure of the blue expanse above are all beautiful & so suggestive of the greatness & grandness of Nature's works. One feels like seeing but to love them, but God's works as all else is viewed to better advantage where Liberty & a "full stomach" can assist in appreciating them.

Our rations today are the same except that the quantity of meat was considerably diminished. Just as "Old Sol" has laid himself down I close to await the dawn of tomorrow taking twilight to look at & think of Eva & many other things ere I sleep. I have slept but such a sleep. I may as well describe the manner of "resting."

The floor is swept, then the men arrange themselves in rows on either side with their heads to the walls, lying in "close order" in the manner usually called "spoon fashion." Two similar rows are formed with their hands to the center of the room. We are without blankets or overcoats except in a few instances. Hence the "close order" to assist in warming each other with the united warmth of the body. Long before morning our bones become very tired from contact with the hard floor, which with the cool nights makes the nights to us very unpleasant. Various rumors continue to circulate as to the disposition to be made with prisoners, but I can place little confidence in any of them and conjecture is useless.

Oct. 29th. Thursday. Another pleasant morning outside. All hands seem cheerful this morning. More so than one could have reason to expect or than is usual. Wonder if it is the forerunner to our liberation or habitual calm that precedes the bursting of the gathering storm. It is rumored that our pickets have approached to within four or five miles, somewhere (Dont believe it) that Meade has driven Lee to this side of the Rappahannock (quite reasonable) & that he has orders to move on to Richmond if possible (Possible it is so but if true how did the report get here. So no confidence is to be given to reports.) It has been told us also that no exchanges or paroles are to take place during the war.

6) Chinaberry tree?

The truth is, the man telling it though a Rebel officer knew no more about it than I did.

O such a time as all hands are having cleaning floors here. The whole building was very filthy & the lice were intolerable. It is to be hoped the cleaning will partially end them for a while. All kinds of rumors concerning exchanges. That is & will be the all absorbing topic so long as we remain here. Am trying to sell my watch for something to eat. I did think I could not part with it but hunger will make me yield I guess. One has to be very cautious too, as the only means of effecting such a sale is contraband & it wont do to expose neither myself or parties buying. I would sell almost anything I have for bread but that which was given me for keepsakes as especially Eva's presents. Those I will not sell but to save life.

Well I declare it is 4:30 O.C. & nothing since 2 O.C. yesterday to eat & only 1/2 rations then. It is rather amusing to witness the effect it has on different persons to become so hungry. Some are cross. Some despondent. Some make light of it. While the greater share seem to be content pacing the floor & minding their own business, mostly thoughts. Well how do I feel & act? I feel hungry. That's certain. Well I have been lying upon the "mess table" doing nothing more & seeing nearly nothing until it suddenly entered my mind to note down something about it & here it is.

Just at dark our rations came. Bread the same & meat rather more than restored so that we made quite a comfortable supper while the prudent ones here had a handsome piece of bread for the morning. Like the swine in the sty, we eat & lie down. There is one benefit arising from this course. It prevents a rapid digestion.

30th. Friday. As usual all hands are on the move with the dawn of day. Eat the little bread left from last night ration & commence talking over the prospects of release. Last night there was an arrival at this building of some 200 or more prisoners from Mobile who had once been paroled but something seems to have been wrong as are all yet detained.

Last night paper was brought into the room which states "that all prisoners taken prior to Nov. 1st. are to be paroled & sent to our camps of parole but not exchanged. All taken after Nov. 1st. are to be retained & be fed by the respective governments," that is the U.S. feeds the Union prisoners in Reb. prisons & vice versa. Knowing the difficulties of them in the way of exchange the report looks highly probable. If it is so we may look for our return to Loyal regions within the next ten days though no return to duty perhaps till the war is over.

Well I was much pleased to meet my old friend W. P. Montague. I cannot say I was surprised for I knew he was a prisoner somewhere & rather supposed he had been sent to Richmond. We are having a good visit. He is here with us I suppose we are all called Eastern troops. This I trust will take us to Camp Chase, Columbus, Ohio where I shall be near my friends should furlough be granted to paroled prisoners. Rations are issued to us at 2 O.C. They are as large as at any previous time.

Oct. 31st. The night before passed was much warmer than at any time since our arrival & I slept quite well. This morning it is raining though the air is warm & our quarters comfortable. We could get along quite well if we only had enough to eat. I had given up the idea of selling my watch on account of the reports alluded to but now again the prospect looks more dark & I have half a mind to sell it. I believe I will not take less than \$50 for it though until I have starved awhile longer.

Near noon the clouds broke away & a warm sun was let in upon us that is so far as raised windows & open doors would permit. Cheerful faces greet me on every hand. At least after rations are issued. Today I eat my entire days ration at a single meal & was hungry when I had finished it. Now I have nothing to eat till we draw again tomorrow. I think I shall not do so any more. It is now getting quite dark & I'll close the book till tomorrow.

Nov. 1st. Sunday. 'Tis a very pretty morning. O how I wish I had my liberty to go out & enjoy it. But when that time will come I dont know.

Well last night I was out upon the steps & asked the guard if he wanted to buy a watch. He courteously invited me down to let him see it by the light of the moon. I did so & walked out of the building for the first time. We did not trade but this morning I sold it to one of the prisoners for \$50. I did hate to part with it but bread is worth more than "time" although tis said that "time is money." Well some of our boys have had money all the time & plenty to eat persistently refusing to lend for fear they might sometime get out. Before I used a cent of mine I loaned two of the boys \$5 each. I dont see how some people can be so selfish. I have often wished I had enough to make them all comfortable. I'm sure I'd do it. Well now that I have money all hands are trying to borrow, among them some who would not accommodate when they might have done so. After all I see that I'm a little revengeful & generally say "I'll see 'em d--d first." I declare it is Sunday & no bread can be bought. So I'll save so much today. And I've sold my jet ring too for \$1.00 and let Orner have the money. This makes \$51 in all received & \$11 loaned.

Like a fool I gave one of the Guards \$10 to buy some sweet potatoes. He came back with \$5 saying "couldn't make change." So I am out a \$5 Confed. Note. Never mind it is only lent for I am bound to steal & rob from Secessionists whenever I can find them till I have made myself good for all I lose by being in the army if it is possible. This resolution is newly formed for I had always entertained some compunctions as to such a course until I am brought to a realization of the fact that stealing at least from the enemy is part of the duties of a soldier. So Rebs, stand from under. I'll never show you any mercy hereafter. There is some commotion in the building. Those on the lower floor are ordered above. I think more prisoners have arrived. This concentration of prisoners from all parts is indicative of something. I hardly know what but hope it is to prepare for our being removed from close confinement. Do for God's sake take us out of this. It is horrible! horrible! Having bought some bread I shall lie down with a full stomach feeling satisfied with the allowance. The first time for two weeks & a day. Bought a plug of tobacco for \$1.00.

A good many are playing cards & checkers. This with all my reverence for the Sabbath I will not allow myself to do. In fact I prefer not to violate the Sabbath more than circumstances seem to demand. The trade I made today I consider justifiable, but gaming would not be. Reasons are apparent. It is now Sunday & a beautiful evening. So let me lie down with thought of the sublimeness & liveliness of nature, Sweet dreams of Eva & a happy future hoping for some good news on the morrow. I sent by Cutler and bought \$5 worth of bread divided it among the men & as is usually the case got the smallest portion myself. I could have bought the whole of it in the N. for 75 cts.

2nd. Monday. Beautiful Indian Summer morning, our boys feeling quite well having enough to eat. I may as well count my \$5 as lost. Well "It's only lent." At noon & the day seems to drag on slowly. I have tried a game or two of chess, but can get up but little interest in the game. Have eaten a piece of bread (25 cts worth) & called it a dinner. I have loaned out so that 24 hours finds \$50 reduced to \$25. What will we do when that is gone. I think I could get along myself but some of the men are much heartier eaters than I am, & they will not be able to bear up under it. The prospects seem good now for our remaining here some time. Perhaps during the war. O, God, I hope not. But if such is for the best I'll try & bear it patiently. Confound the Rebels, why will they persist in their damnable course? If they are clearly wrong why does a just God continue to permit them to continue in evil doing? Will the advocates of the doctrines of Special Providential manifestations & visitations give even a plausible reason? I think I never wished to be out of the army so much as now. There is not in all this house one with whom I can sit & converse in an appreciative conversation & I have no range of companionship. Grossness, Vulgarly, Coarse games & ribald jests & conversation are so common that they fail to shock the ear. But are to me very unpleasant. O what demoralization is consequent upon this war. Will it be possible to restrain the passions of vicious men thus for a while nearly unrestrained when they again return to citizenship? I hope the home influence will at once soften them down. The preponderance will be so great in numbers, that it may if comparatively good succeed. Let us hope for the best. About 3 O.C. we were ordered to pack up & commence marching. When we were halted it was upon the celebrated Belle Island. A small part, about 2 1/2 acres devoted to our camp. I'll leave a description of this horrible filthy place to some other time. Suffice it now that we were turned into its dirty streets to "get along the best we could till morning," without overcoats, blankets or shelter of any kind & only one small stick of wood to ten men. We shivered out the night with but little, & Some no sleep. I succeeded myself in crawling into a tent door & lay close to a man so that our latent heat permitted me to sleep 3 hours. After that I walked around till day. Drew for rations three small hard crackers & one ounce of boiled beef each. Confed money wont help here at any price so that I am without funds again. I was appointed Sergt. of a squad this evening, & the charge & care of 100 men so long as we are here devolves upon me. Went to draw rations for the men & while we were bringing it in the "raiders" stole four loaves. Being allowed but one quarter of a loaf to a ration it cut 16 men out of their bread. I divided my own ration & a small loaf I had brought with me so that 5 or 6 got a little.

3rd. Tuesday. It was a very warm & pleasant day. But O how crowded & the

stench around this miserable camp is horrible. However I have got along very well. We had 1/4 loaf of bread & one ounce of meat in the morning & 1/4 loaf of bread & one pint of soup at evening. I shall not "go to bed" hungry, as I was fortunate in getting plenty of meat in our soup for all the men. I took quite a hard cold last night I fear it will rain tonight and if I get no shelter it will be hard to endure. Tents are here but they do not seem to be issuing them yet, & it is near night. I have been considerably annoyed by persons who are not assigned to messes. Chiefs of messes are not altogether honest and crowd out some who have been counted in their messes. There are many sick, once I observed while walking through the camp. They are really in a distressing condition. Far away from home and friends cut off from the assistance our benevolent Government would be glad to give them. Pale, haggard, ragged, dirty & miserable in the extreme. The enemy lends them no more pity or assistance than they would a beast. Poor, poor men, how I do pity them, many of them must die, aye, nearly all, and be buried, with no pitying, sympathizing heart or tearful eye. They die and are buried unknown to their friends. A distant parent and home wonders "how my son is?" The fond wife has not heard from her husband for a long time. Aye, and will not until years perhaps have passed, when by chance as it were, some stranger tells her he knew of his death in the prison camp. The maiden fair wonders in her heart where her lover is. She knows of the hard fought battle in which his Regiment was and learns that he was among the dead upon the field. No he was a prisoner. Carried to this accursed place and had passed away. And the maiden wonders on long years, pines away, droops and is as the faded flower. Her lover does not come. O, Eva, Eva, will it be true with you? Must it be my lot to thus pass my remaining days, when I had pictured in my mind such a happy future with you. No, O, no, God forbid that it should be thus. I will let hope predominate and feel determined that I shall live to escape & see the end of all this trouble. I will always be cheerful in spirits & careful in habits, & trust in a kind Providence. Eva, dear, Send your prayers to almighty God in my behalf, and also, for all our friends, in Union army. I am inclined to a sadness of heart tonight. Dwelling as I am upon it, but adds fuel to the fire. Another incident and I will close tonight. Gen. Neal Dow was passing among the prisoners inquiring after their wants and says the govt. is going to assist them. O, how the hearts of these patriot patient, prisoners did well up and leap with that pride and joy only known to American hearts at the sight and voice of an American Officer. I could not suppress the tears as I witnessed the good it seemed to do them, to see an American Officer in uniform. They may be distressed but they cannot be broken. In their true, loyal - American pride and spirits God bless them and bless the noble heart in Gen. Dow for his interest in their welfare. Without covering tonight though the weather is much more pleasant than last night. I am using up my book too fast as I may be kept here a long time.

Nov. 4th. Wednesday. The day opens bright and clear. I feel better from my cold and the camp disease which has been affecting me some has nearly disappeared. Bread gave out at No. 41, mine being 53 the last. Hope for a "reinforcement" soon, if none arrives we will probably get but one ration today. Only an hour passed till bread arrived and we had our usual ration. Commotion in camp because all taken in July and August were called out to answer to their names. It was rumored that they were to be paroled, but I believe no report but wait for the transaction. I was much pleased with my old acquaintances

from Ohio, Segt. Wynn & Dan Will from Williams County & Sol Miller. Had a good visit with them. 'Tis near ration time & I will close till tomorrow, or something occurs. The day closes and we lie in our camp street as heretofore secured a shelter for myself but lay upon the cold ground.

Nov. 5th. Thursday. Dark clouds floating high in thick broken scuds, indicates some wind & cooler days. Rain will follow ere long, and then what will we do. We are encouraged this morning by the report that several thousand are to be moved away to Danville, & Lynchburg. This will leave shelter for those that remain. Also that Grant has flanked Bragg & taken Lookout Mt., & that Charleston is about "gone up." These last are said to have been in the Richmond papers last night though I did not see it. Surprised twice, I drawing rations meat gave out so that my squad was the only one without, I went to lunch of bread quite wrathful, but was soon sent for & got meat. One issue had been stolen, but was made up to me. Gen. Dow is back today & a great many boxes, apparently clothing is awaiting shipment across the water. I wonder if it is not for us. Weather breaking away & becoming warmer. I like to have forgotten to mention getting a double ration of bread for myself. I thanked the Q.M. cordially & also for the pains he took to get us our meat. Yes the clothing was for us & was being issued to the men today. But much irregularity prevailed & all kinds of rascality prevailed among our own men in getting more than was their due. Just at night it commenced raining very lightly & we feared we had a hard night before us, but were happily disappointed as little fell.

Nov. 6th. Friday. The weather has broken away this morning somewhat & we hope for more pleasant weather than we anticipated last night but there are some ominous indications of a storm near. I hope all will get blankets & tents too. The day had nearly passed & the clothing all issued. Only about one in ten (10) were issued though a greater number of the actually needy (more) are promised the first of the week. O how tired I am getting of this lying around in the dirt with nothing to read. When will the commissioners come to some terms as to our release either by parole or exchange, however if it serves to the interest of my country better to remain I'll try to be contented but it is hard. The clothing that was issued I learn is furnished through the Christian Mission. We are thankful for their Christian Kindness, but it looks like no extra rations from Uncle Sammies Pantry. Well I can live yet I dont get near enough to eat I suppose Gen. Meredith arrives again today. I have no doubt but something will be accomplished but perhaps not this trip. Eva smiled at me today and I cannot discern the least trace of pity in her countenance, I shall certainly reproach her for her hardness of heart the first opportunity. 'Tis near ration time and I close till morning. The night was clear and cold. We had five sticks of firewood which was all we had to protect us from the outdoor cold. No sleep all night. I was quite unwell from diarrhoea.

Nov. 7th. Sat. All hands feel poorly after so cold a night out of doors without blankets and no sleep the loss has to be made up in part today. The camp ground is being enlarged and tents put up, this looks like shelter tonight, but no shelter comes. All the tents are being put up before occupying any of them which will keep us out of doors until Monday probably. One more man dropped from my squad today which makes two taken out sick to the hospital and one arrested as a deserter from the Reb Army. Our own company keeps remarkably well.

This is fortunate I lay it to their cleanliness and habits of diet. They are thus far very quiet and orderly and the best of feeling prevails among them in fact throughout the entire squad. There has been no quarreling and they look to me so kindly and seem to think I do all I can for them. I had not expected so much good feeling and feel very thankful for it. I have not been well today, but think a good drink of red pepper tea this morning and a piece of camphor helped me. Got another extra large ration for myself tonight. I have but missed two or three times, but dividing it up with the others does me but little good.

Nov. 8th. Sunday. The air is cold and raw though the night was warmer than we expected. Last night some 10 of the men escaped with two of the guards. One was killed & 2 more wounded. It is reported that Bragg has been thoroughly beaten. The Richmond papers do not speak of it in that manner. They are silent too about Charleston while it is rumored that it has surrendered. There is apparently some excitement & movement in Rebel military circles. Soldiers of some kind were passing on cars but could not tell whether Reb troops or our prisoners. Hope we shall be able to learn today. Bought \$5 worth of tobacco & divided with the men. Was small enough to sell fish on ration (my extra) for ten cents & bought some "Richmond Coffee" so that I made quite a breakfast at 12 O.C. M on bread, beef, & rye coffee. Corn bread was issued to 3100 wheat bread to 300 when all gave out for two or three hours. I feel strong in the faith that we will not be kept prisoners more than two weeks more. I don't believe the Rebel government can afford to keep us. They have ceased to enlarge the camp, refused letters to be sent away & many more substantial though not easily described reasons for thinking as I do. O won't we be happy crowd when once on board a Transport for our lines. God grant the day will come soon.

Nov. 9th. Monday. Last night was very cold, & yet the authorities would not let the men occupy the tents that were already pitched. So some 1800 men lay in the street with but a small fire. It was really shivering their life away. If God is just in punishing nations & men for their sins, surely this so-called Southern Confederacy will have much yet to bear. I believe He is & that a terrible retribution is awaiting. We have been prisoners now three weeks & a day, that is those captured when I was. We have endured much suffering from hunger & cold yet there are many who have been here since the great battle of Gettysburg. They have endured longer but little more than we. They had warm weather & most of the time tents & have the latter yet. They have also secured many blankets while we have none. The clothing issued by Gen. Dow the other day was also given them as they were near destitute so they are comparatively comfortable. But we are really suffering. The night passed, high cold winds, a little rain & snow falling make it terrible for the poor fellows lying out of doors. To make it worse, all we had to eat the whole day was four ounces of corn bread. Double rations promised in the morning - - - -

November 10th. Tuesday. The clouds have passed away but the wind continues high, our men were many of them without wood as well as shelter. They are chilled through and in a suffering condition. My heart bleeds for them & would to God I could alleviate their sufferings. But I am in as bad condition as the rest with no power to do anything. The morning paper today states that it is known that Meade has orders to hunt Lee and fight him. That he has already

captured 3 to 5000 prisoners I sincerely hope he will be thoroughly successful & that it will assist in our liberation. We are literally freezing and starving. Surely our country will not permit it might longer. We must have something done or all shall perish in a little while. All but about 500 are now in tents, but without blankets or wood the cold is intense but why speak so discouragingly, when I feel so confident we shall not be detained but a few days. I still feel sure of this. So drive away sorrow, despair & despondency. Come in faith, hope & cheerfulness. Our sufferings are but for a few days. This being the darkest just before the bursting in of the joyful news of our liberation, "So let the wide world wag as it will I will try and be cheerful still." But the night drawn high cold and cheerless rations of corn bread and boiled bacon are issued late.

Nov. 11. Wednesday. The morning is clear & cold and the suffering among the prisoners was intense. From 300 to 400 lay out of doors with no protection from the cold, and those in tents have to lie upon the ground which is damp and cold. My God is there no help for this. Does the best interest of our country really demand it, if so, God grant cheerful resignation upon our part. We are pleased to learn that some were taken away early this morning. This number being variously estimated from 50 to 500. I think about 100 to 200 correct. Well it looks as if something was being done. Though the commencement is small when there are 11,000 or 12,000 to be disposed of. Rice & meat both gave out at supper & a large portion of corn bread was issued to those without. I got more for my squad than they could eat, thankful.

Nov. 12. Thursday. The morning clear & cool but more moderate than yesterday. It is stated in the Richmond papers that Raleigh N.C. has been captured by our forces like (here it is undecipherable) move but success in the movement of our forces. It does look like the Reb. Govt. must cave in soon. Some 600 more prisoners are brought to this miserable camp this morning but no more shelter. O dear, O dear, what shall we do. Two men were carried from camp dead. They were denied admittance to the hospital & so have perished. O Jeff Davis call on almighty God for his assistance to sustain your rotten invention of a government. It is all a mockery & but bringing a greater curse upon you when the day of retribution shall have come. I dreamed of Eva last night, it was a sweet & pleasant dream. I thought I made her a visit "in my suit of blue" & that were finally married before we came back. I thought that we were really happy. I awoke & it was all a dream & I in this miserable prison camp. O how sad I did feel, but will live in hopes for the best. It often seems as if it would be such a relief if I could but write to her & receive her sweet interesting neat little love letters. But even this is denied me. Our rations for the day were, 3 ozs. boiled rice for breakfast, at noon we got ration of bread, at night we got no sweet potatoes as did many of the squads but double of corn & rye bread.

Nov. 13. Friday. A very pleasant morning with a fair nights rest & a strong hope that we will not be kept here a great while. Quite a commotion in camp, all the sick were taken out. A similar move being made about a year ago when all others were marched out and afterward paroled. Have but little hope that such good luck will immediately attend us. Clothing issued to men today, about 150 sick men taken out of camp. Very many for the time of year. Reported that

Meade Hd. Qts are at Orange C.H. Ropes seem to be tightening up on the Reb. Govt. Have been lucky in rations for squad and self. Night drawing nigh. Sold tonight on rations. Only raw potatoes & bread (?)

Nov. 14. Saturday. Pleasant weather continues. Not a cloud to be seen but upon the countenances of the more discouraged here, & who can really blame them. Some have been here several months, are getting very destitute of everything with no evidences of relief from their imprisonment soon. They are becoming very emaciated, many having died. Yesterday 8 were taken out of the camp dead. How many from among "the sick in the hospital" I have no means of knowing. What is there to buoy up their flagging spirits, nothing, but patriotism and resolution. I declare when I look upon the sad scene around me I feel very like yielding to despair myself, But knowing this to be one of the surest ways to dissolution & destruction I rekindle the diminishing spark of resolution & reiterate my determination to outlive it all & go to my friends once more. Very good dish of rice and corn bread this morning, making it into a quart of warm soup assisted me very much. Indications of a storm are visible in the conditions of the atmosphere. Think it will be rain. I am getting quite weak from want of enough to eat and some exposure have half a mind to write to Eva and see if I cannot get an answer, but thinking we shall be removed either to some other place of imprisonment or to our lines ere long I will postpone it a while longer. Heard that Meade has advanced to Orange C.H. captured Fredricksburg, 1800 prisoners, 16 guns & warping it to the Rebs generally. God be praised if it is true. Also reported today that there is a change of commissions on exchange and parole, I predict that this looks to an immediate understanding. Hopes revive though yet deferred. Small rations of corn bread only for supper.

Nov. 15th. Sunday. Commenced raining & just at dark & rained all night. Many men could not get into tents and suffered much. This morning the heavens are overcast with clouds while it rains at times the prospect is gloomy enough. The Q.M. gave out a little wood to make fires for those who were in the rain to dry themselves by, but those in tents no matter how worn and poor the tents were got none. This so-called Confederate government must be in very straitened circumstances or devoid of all civilized intentions to treat prisoners of war in the manner we are treated. I am inclined to think the former the principal cause while the latter doubtless has its influence we got no breakfast till 1 O.C. then ration of bread and two of meat. Uncle Sam has sent us 34,000 ration plates, cups & spoons so reported from a source to be credited. Weather breaks away early in the day and becomes quite pleasant with a cool drying breeze. Clothing is yet being issued & done in a very neat & systemized method. It begins to look as if no arrangement had been made or is likely to be made for our release. However I shall continue to hope as usual, till deliverance does really come. Corn bread alone for supper.

Nov. 16th. Monday. Another fine day overhead and prospects of fair weather ahead 'tis really a blessing. This makes a month and a day of my captivity when taken I expected to have been inside our lines, exchanged or paroled long ere this & my hopes were good. Now the day seems as distant as ever, even more so. Save that I do not think our government will permit so many of her

brave men to remain in so distressing condition during the winter. I have now determined to think that so soon as the Fall campaigns have ended then the attentions will be turned to those who have been unfortunate in falling into the hands of the enemy. Perhaps it were as well to make no such calculations, but the mind wants something to speculate upon and what more apropos than our deliverance. Cutler was taken away sick today.

Nov. 17th. Tuesday. The night set in quite clear and warm but it commenced raining near midnight after a brisk shower it becomes cold and this morning it is cloudy, cold, damp, & very cheerless. It will be a gloomy, dismal day on Belle Island. Camp disease prevailed more than usual last night and much suffering was felt. Nearly all the squads have got a share of blankets. Ours got 50 which makes them more comfortable. Toward night the weather became more moderate. Our supper is late & very poor, corn meal soup.

Nov. 18th. Wednesday. The weather is much more pleasant this morning, but O dear how sick I was last night with this terrible camp disease. I have not suffered more in one night since I came into the army. Vomiting & purging all night and nearly all day. In the morning I ate nothing but drank a cup of red pepper tea about noon, ate a small piece of ginger cake and drank a pint of rye coffee and begin to feel better. In the evening felt quite sick & had but persisted in eating nothing. Intend to starve out the disease but what shall I do to requite upon. No bread but this miserable trash Indian meal soup and sweet potatoes all but the latter well calculated to make one worse instead of better. My God it is perfectly horrible yet I shall live through it but am determined that it shall be my last service as an enlisted man. I will have a commission or a discharge I have done enough, suffered enough & deserve some recompense besides the small monthly pay.

Nov. 19th. Thursday. Fair weather overhead and could we be where Uncle Sam could care for us would feel quite contented. But here it is every man for himself, little chance to extend any sympathy to our suffering companions. I feel much better in the morning & only need something fit to eat as it is it seems almost impossible to revive from a fit of sickness. I must rely upon my own broken constitution & resolution & ever prevailing hopes. These are always better than medicine, even for disease, no I shall not die here. My predecessors all lived to a good old age to do good and bless mankind. I am not made to die younger than they. Good news reported this morning, 7000 to leave for our lines in a day or two. I dont quite believe it but yet it may be so, hope it is, for heavens sake. Felt quite comfortable all day but must have worried around too much as I felt quite weak at night. Succeeded in trading my corn bread for some wheat bisquit. This with a cup of coffee & 1/4 of a miserable peach pie made my supper.

Nov. 20th. Friday. The weather continues very favorable. But I am failing quite fast my complaint is much better but strength is reduced. This morning I succeeded in trading my rations for four small bisquits of wheat. I broke them into hot rye coffee & they tasted very good. They were better than those I had last night, I hope I shall continue to be as lucky, if so I shall get along, but it is enough to discourage the stoutest heart. O how I hope they

will get an arrangement by which all can be sent to our lines. It is the one thing desirable here, but the interest of the govt. must be served (?) though we sicken and die. Evening came very warm.

Nov. 21st. Saturday. Rain commenced falling very lightly about sunrise. O I do wish for a better place than this if the winter storms are setting in. News of our exchange are rife also that govt. rations have come for us. Their indications are antagonistic so whether we are to stay or leave is uncertain. I feel somewhat better today but I am only able to just walk around a little. I am very weak. Hope that the worst is over and that I shall begin to gain but I need a hearty diet which I cannot get here. I ate cornbread this morning the first for two days having traded my rations for wheat bisquit, but all the cooking in the south is alike. I have never found in but one family a decent cook. They cannot make even passable bread of any kind. That lady was Mrs. Ott of Bolivar who was raised and learned to cook in the North. Away with the Sunny South I have enough of it.

Nov. 22. Sunday. A disagreeable night was passed in camp last night. It rained all night, some of the time very hard. I was completely wet through in the morning, but notwithstanding felt quite well, having had quite a respectable breakfast of wheat cakes & toast of light wheat bread. It has cleared away in the morning and is really quite pleasant, but sickness and hunger is taking all the poetry out of me, though that was but little. Nothing to eat but corn bread with cold water to drink.

Nov. 23. Monday. It was clear and cold in the morning but before noon clouds overcast the sky and the air became colder. By two O.C. rain set in & the wretched starving soldiers were again suffering for the wants of the necessities of life. However they are more (?) comfortable than formerly as nearly all are being quite well clothed & the balance will be as soon as they can be secured. My squad was called out today & got everything in the line of clothing they actually needed but overcoats. I hope I shall be away from here before they are ready to issue them. But the prospect is rather discouraging although I cannot convince myself that we shall be compelled to stay here till spring. The sickness in camp I notice has somewhat abated. The cool weather I think is the principal cause. I am much better myself today. I think now that with proper care I shall regain my health. Govt. has actually sent us some rations. But the rascally Rebel officers permitted their own soldiers on guard around us to be well filled with it before the hungry prisoners got a taste. Well, they were hungry too for there is but little more issued to them than to us. The rest they have to buy. They have the chance to do so while we do not. Wonder if our Govt. will retaliate as the affair was promptly reported to the officers issuing clothing & will surely reach our lines. Corn bread only for supper.

Nov. 24th. Tuesday. A light but cold rain is falling this morning but the stomachs of the men were quite well filled with cornbread & pork & beef sent by old Uncle Sam. This will counteract the disagreeable weather in part, but men ought always to have enough to satisfy hunger. My health is very much improved. So I think while lying still but when I get up & try to exercise

I find there is little strength left in me. A lively report today that there is to be an immediate exchange of prisoners. I'll believe it when we are removed from here to City Point & slow to place full confidence in the report till then. Our officers are not over today issuing clothing as usual. Wonder what that means. I don't think the light storm would deter them. This is flag of truce boat day. I just dare to think it might be so but not jubilant yet. Wish I could get to a comfortable fire in a comfortable position once more. I am very cold. My feet are suffering.

Nov 25th. Wednesday. Cold, raw & cloudy. Stormed a little just at night but before morning it cleared away. Was quite sick all day but drew the ration for the squad.

Nov. 26th. Thursday. Thanksgiving day in all loyal parts of our country. My mind is forcibly carried back over the past, to contrast it with my Thanksgiving dinner on Belle Island. Even but a year ago, while a soldier, I was hospitably entertained by Mrs. Boynton near Grand Rapids & a better filled table I never saw. I remember the Lambs, Turkeys, Pigs, Pastry, Jellies & Fruit of all kinds, devoured in years past. I remember the genuine Prayers, Praise, & Thanksgiving, to almighty God for His Kindness, the gayety, mirthfulness, & almost universal happiness of the youthful. The generous donations to the poor, aye everything customary in our Christian, loyal America. But these things seem to have all departed from me as if by some magic influence. We had dinner here to subsist upon the usual allowance of poor cornbread & meat, unless one is lucky enough to trade his rations for a cake or pie which may be found for sale upon the camp streets. I wonder if our president does really think of us in our misfortune here today & if he is not thinking of some honorable mode to accomplish our release. I believe him to be generous, kind & not unmindful, of the wants of the people & if that he really is thinking of Belle Island. O people of America let now your prayers ascend to almighty God for the end of this cruel war & our deliverance from the miserable captivity. Join ye in one accord let all disloyalty & divisions be banished to secure the one great desideratum. I see no immediate prospect of release. I fear we are to remain till the end of the war. If so, God have mercy upon us, for it is the policy of these rebels to let us so far famish that our hearts & spirits are so far broken, that if ever, it will be a long time before we are or can be fit for duty in the field, before relief is granted. Well with such prospects ahead with this book so nearly full, I must economize still more, barely making an entry of dates & leading events & leave it to be filled up whenever it shall please God & my country to grant me more ample time & means.

Nov. 27th. Friday. Rain & rain, cold day, everyone consequently cross & ugly. Squad becomes dissatisfied about my management & I told them to get some one else to act as squad sergeant. I feel sorry for the half famished men, yet it does seem as if they might use a little more reason than many of them do. Well the time will come though it may be distant when we shall be away from here and then these things will be mostly forgotten. But those who have borrowed money of me until I loaned myself out & then have abused me I never will forget. Our rations were short tonight.

Nov. 28th. Saturday. Disagreeable rainy day. Short rations of bread and beef in A.M. Relieving myself from duty. Eat what little I got after that miserable cuss of a Payne cheated me out of a portion & then layed around in the tent & tending to my camp disease. Reb troops seem to be coming from the direction of Petersburg, reported that Grant has badly beaten Bragg & conflicting rumors concerning Burnside that he is captured with 7000 men & that he is O.K. near Petersburg. That a great battle must be fought between Meade and Lee. O God give us victory & then release us from this miserable place. Hope yet to be out yet no evidence that we shall.

Nov. 29th. Sunday. Rain cold wind & decidedly the most unpleasant day passed on the Island. I am in poor health and yet was compelled to stand out in the cold storm while we were rearranged into squads again. I took a long jump from the 53d to the 9th. Sgt. Howard of the 20th N.Y.S.M. who is decidedly a gentleman after my own heart in main respects has agreed to try with me to get out of this. We are both sick, completely used up & should go out while we can. I do hope fortune will favor us once again. I think him in earnest in seeking a new home in the west, and he has agreed to visit Big Rapids positively. It is natural to build castles in the air & we have anticipated some fine times when this cruel war is over & we are located as citizens in Mecosta Co., Mich.

Nov. 30th. Monday. A little rain & very raw cold day. No wood & nothing for supper but the usual 2 ozs. of meat. It does almost seem as if this infernal Confederate Government desires the reduction of our numbers & was accomplishing it in this slow & barbarous manner of murdering us. I know they are hard pressed by our armies on all sides & their means cut very close but they might certainly furnish us with wood to warm us & our rations. O why are we kept here suffering so. We had to lie in our miserable tents rolled in our blankets to keep from freezing. Heavy firing was heard all day in the direction of Culpepper until late in the evening. It is said a great battle is coming off between Lee & Meade. I am hopeful as to the result & shall trust in providence.

Dec. 1st. Tuesday. Six weeks & two days a prisoner & four weeks on this island. I was in medium health when captured. Just recovered from my hurt in the June fight & the camp disease which annoyed me nearly all summer. The march fatigue, Starvation, & miserable food brought the diarrhoea back upon me. It has been very bad ever since, I am now just able to walk around camp a little. Can scarcely lift my feet over an ordinary stick of wood. The weather is cold though clear today & I cannot exercise enough to warm my blood so I go to my tent roll in my blanket to keep warm & think of the good things I used to eat, the happy home I left behind, the bright prospects, I have so often conjured up I was to enjoy in another happy home with Eva, who looks at me smiling on me as ever with no pity in her countenance, while hunger is gnawing at my vitals & cold is pinching me. Nothing but corn bread for supper.

Dec. 2nd. Wednesday. Weather more fair & comfortable, roused out of our nests & had to stand in the cold till we were all counted in at two gates. Wonder if it is not to find out the number to exchange. Guess not. Nothing to eat in the A.M. 250 more prisoners brought in last night. Poor fellows had no blankets & no tents. Fighting going on near Gordonsville, so reported sent to Camp Deans for rations.

Dec. 3rd. Thursday. Was quite warm & had I not been very unwell last night & today, should have thought it was very pretty weather. I became almost discouraged on account of the again declining health. In the P.M. it was reported the guards were to have 3 days rations tomorrow to take us to City Point. Dont believe a word of it.

Dec. 4th. Friday. Opens fair & warm for the season of year. All hands out again to be recounted & resquadded. Presume the Q.M. had lost a load of corn bread. Its worth looking after in this d--d bogus government. Rested well last night & feel better this morning than for a long time which is quite encouraging. Got a load of wheat bread to eat before ration time which helped to keep me up. Am becoming very much attached to Sergt. Howard who sleeps with me & we are fast becoming boon companions even in our trials & tribulations. He sure is earnest about going to Big Rapids to live. I sincerely hope he will as I am convinced he will make just such a valuable citizen as is wanted in that (undecipherable) lot. O heaven grant that these bright anticipations may be realized.

Dec. 5th. Saturday. Day opens calm, clear, & beautiful for the season. I am better in body & spirits than for a long time & ate a good breakfast of bread, butter & molasses, bologna, sausage & Washington pie which made me feel still better. Good reports that a portion of us are to be exchanged. I do not think it reliable although it was announced in the Richmond Whig. Soap was issued to us today, I guess we all wanted to clean up, well it is time. Irish potatoes were given to some of the squads. Really the Confederacy is becoming extravagant to us Yankee prisoners. But towards night I began to feel worse & passed a very miserable night. The weather changing somewhat also & becoming colder made it very unpleasant to be up as much as I was compelled to.

Dec. 6th. Sunday. Clear & pleasant but quite cold. Was sick all day eating only a small piece of meat, bread & molasses. O how terrible to live in such a place as this. My God is there no help. Kept my bunk all day.

Dec. 7th. Monday. Clearer & colder than yesterday & I was much sicker. Answered to the Drs. Call & got some powders, it checked my Diarrhoea. At night I took another which corrected me, in a short time. Was stupid all night from the medicine & was not up all during the night but suffered from the cold.

Dec. 8th. Tuesday. Beautiful morning & the weather much more moderate. I feel much better & my spirits are also revived. Am prepared to eat & did eat a good healthy breakfast of sweet potatoes, meat & onions stewed together & a cup of U.S. coffee but felt worse toward night.

Dec. 9th. Wednesday. Was not near so well today & had to lie in my blankets all day. Eat nothing for breakfast nor till night when I eat one hard tack, having drawn just half a ration in addition to our usual ration of corn bread & sweet potatoes. This hard bread evidently from our lines & being an extra I conclude is sent by our government. Rested quite well during the night feeling better by noon, hope yet to get along well.

Dec. 10th. Thursday. Feel much better again but shall worry around as little

as possible. Soaked their hard tack in cold water till soft, then poured in more water, salted well & steamed well. I like them very well. The soup thus made was quite good at least so it seemed to me. Good reports are in circulation about exchanges. I shall permit myself to hope a little although my former hopeful disposition had given way to a conviction that there was no probable prospect of our immediate release. I am not discouraged, but that I shall see the end, though I am quite low. Writing this as I lie in my miserable bed. I took a thorough wash on Tuesday in the open & I attribute the exposure (not the washing) as part of the cause of my feeling somewhat worse.

Dec. 11th. Friday. Weather rain & rather uncomfortable & I am not feeling better, after eating quite a breakfast of stewed crackers & crust coffee, conclude to keep as quiet as possible. But O dear, it does require a stout heart to keep from being utterly discouraged, & yet if I allow myself to indulge in such feeling I shall assuredly go down. I do wonder if it is the final conclusion of our Countries officers to let us remain till the contest is decided by force of arms. If so our release may be near at hand but it appears far more distant than our constitutions will bear up under the treatment we receive here. I do not intend to think hard of my country or her rulers but this suffering is very trying to the soul. O, Lord, remember those here that fought so bravely for a noble cause & do not forsake them in this time of need. I must not fail here to mention the kindness I have received at the hands of Danny Will from Bryan, Ohio, he has done me several favors, today he brought me a sweet Rusk well buttered, O my but it did taste good. Large numbers of express boxes have arrived for the prisoners today.

Dec. 12th. Saturday. Weather rather more favorable. But I was really worse today. Went out to the Dr. & got some medicine. Eat nothing all day but a cracker & a half with two spoons of sugar. My physic worked off during the evening & night & I hope not to pass another day as sick & unpleasant as I did this.

Dec. 13th. Sunday. Rained about half the night but it was warm & I did rest well after so sick a day yesterday. My appetite is somewhat demanding & I must have plate of toast so here goes for one, such as I had to make it in this camp.

Dec. 14th. Monday. Did not rest quite so well last night. This morning the weather is colder & somewhat invigorating. I go & get some more medicine & a cup of good beef tea. Felt better when I find the last a little too much & could eat no supper.

Dec. 15th. Tuesday. Was trotted out several times during the night & got wonderful hungry before morning. Forged an order a German takes it & gets my beef tea, any port in a storm like this & must not be too honest. Decidedly unpleasant winter day.

Dec. 16th. Wednesday. Was so much better that I feel highly encouraged. Appetite much improved beef tea works well. Have plenty of it, had a good supper of fried bread. Was somewhat disappointed in not hearing from Lt. Moore to

whom I sent for a little money. Begin to look for boxes from the company. Storm approaching.

Dec. 17th. Thursday. Raining this morning but I feel quite smart, much better than I had dared to hope for. My rations are getting too small again, I must get in extra soup some way.

Dec. 18th. Friday. Felt remarkably well all day, but could not get enough to eat. Beef tea game having played out. They take it all down to the hospital & issue it there. The officers are issuing clothing & yet I get no word from Lt. Moore. Perhaps it has been forgotten. I am almost out of tobacco & dont know what I shall do. Cannot get enough to eat let alone trading rations for such things.

Dec. 19th. Saturday. Came out this morning to see a nice clear but rather cold morning. Took a good wash & got already for a breakfast but when ration call was sounded it was announced that no rations would be issued till 3 O.C. Cool I declare when a fellow is so cussed hungry. Well I am really becoming disgusted at the manner in which we are made to suffer here. No wood & nothing to eat. Well perhaps there is an excuse. The river is very high & it is perilous to get anything across but they have no business to keep us in so inaccessible a place, some secret monitor tells me we shall be kept here but a short time longer. Wonder if it is only a delusion. There must be an end to it sometime, why not soon, I'll allow a real hope to revive me.

Dec. 20th. Sunday. Nothing more than the usual routine of prisoners suffering.

Dec. 21st. Monday. Lively reports of Lincoln's Proclamation of Amnesty. The armistice of thirty days & our immediate exchange. The camp was wild with excitement towards night & I almost believed them on account of the tolling of the city bells which we heard.

Dec. 22nd. Tuesday. Just as might be expected the reports prove entirely false weather for several days past cold & wintry like but no snow.

Dec. 23rd. Wednesday. Some flakes of snow falling the first I have seen but we get no breakfast & no apparent reason why. It does beat the Devil that we must fare so damnably.

Dec. 24th. Thursday. I am gaining now quite readily & begin to hope that I shall gain strength enough to do something to make extra rations. Have been hoping I could have something extra for dinner tomorrow but see no light.

Christmas. And nothing but the usual rations & as hungry as a poor dog. Well it is the poorest & most cheerless Christmas that I ever experienced & that I ever expect to. The weather which has been very cold has moderated somewhat & we hope for better times even on Belle Isle. All sorts of rumors continue to circulate relative to Paroles & exchanges but the cautious mind has schooled itself to become incredulous. So I believe nothing & wait for events & facts.

Dec. 27th. Sunday. Was really the dawning of a better day although the weather was rather Lowry & unpromising yet the hearts of the prisoners were much cheered

when 500 men were called out & left us under the announcement that they were exchanged & that all were to be as fast as transportation could be procured. Yesterday there was nothing occurred more than the usual camp routine today all was excitement over the good news. Well this is rather conclusive to me that some understanding has been arrived & as there was no selection of prisoners the arrangement is a general one. O glory - glory. I do now hope in good earnest to see the end of my captivity soon.

Dec. 28th. Monday. The day passes away & we are still here. It begins to look rather discouraging again, especially to me as my health is again growing poorer instead of better but yet I'll continue to hope on.

Dec. 29th. Tuesday. Nothing of importance worth chronicling.

Dec. 30th. Wednesday. Will record the same as yesterday only that the day was the most pleasant of any for a long time. It was quite warm indeed.

Dec. 31st. Thursday. Was a marked change from yesterday. A cold rainstorm lasting all day & we but a small allowance of wood. During the night the water ran in so that it was an inch or two deep where I lay. I have wished many times since I have been here that I had quarters as comfortable as my Father's hogs but actually I have not.

NEW YEARS 1864. And we are yet here upon this accursed Island. O how many anxious ones here had hopes to have spent this day with their friends at home or at least with friends in our own lines instead of which we are dragging out a miserable existence as prisoners of war & I doubt if any prisoners were ever before treated by any people professing to be a civilized nation as are the prisoners here. Thrown into old ragged tents without any bedding, blankets or any thing of the kind. Our allowance of food is about the 1/4 what our own government allows us. It is enough so that a hearty man will not actually starve but not enough to prevent the rapid contracting of disease. Why O, why is this permitted. I have often been exhorted to place my entire confidence & trust in Providence in all kinds of emergency. That He would be our "stay & our support." would care for, protect & provide. No we are here. The enemies cannon is in position to rake us at the first indication of a mutiny. There is no opportunity to assist ourselves can Providence. Will He do anything to relieve us, by our lending him our blind submissive confidence. Well there is yet considerable hope that we shall be relieved soon. So I will not commence to murmur against God and my country yet.

Jany 2nd. Saturday. Nothing new only the weather is now fair but cold & we have no wood. Yesterdays labors stewing bones brought me all I wanted to eat in wheat bread & flour gravy. I wanted yesterday as a New Years dinner but malicious ill health for a few days caused it to be one day late but better late than never.

Sunday, Jany 3rd. Had an extra ration of cornbread today & am gaining strength rapidly. O, if I could only get enough to eat I would get right up I know full well, but if relief does not come soon I fear I shall certainly sink as have so many before me who were probably as rugged as I was.

Monday, Jany 4th. The weather is growing colder & wood seems to be failing us. Our large supply in the tent is gone & they do not issue us more I have frozen my feet already lying in bed & if the weather gets much colder I fear we shall nearly freeze to death or suffer worse than death.

Tuesday, Jany 5th. The weather still growing colder. My feet so sore that I laid in the bed all day. O, my God, is there no help.

Wednesday, Jany 6th. Same as yesterday.

Thursday, Jany 7th. We got a small ration of bread & meat for breakfast. Ration of bread, meat & butter crackers for supper. O them butter cracters, how good they did taste. I never ate anything that I relished so well or so it seemed. Tonight there was quite a fall of snow, say three inches. Of course the weather is a little more moderate on us prisoners no wood & freezing.

Friday, Jany 8th. After the storm it is clear & cold. The old 53rd. squad was called out for clothing & I had to stand weak & emaciated as I am & with frozen feet from 11 O.C. till nearly 2 O.C. till all had drawn. I did not get an overcoat as I expected but got a new shirt. I put in on & slept between it & for a long time the night being the coldest yet. I suffered with my feet till 11 O.C. when I raised up chafed my feet till they became warm & comfortable.

Saturday, Jany 9th. It has been reported that no boat from our lines had arrived for two weeks. I think it is so for no mail has been received in this camp. This morning our mail has arrived & some express boxes which indicate that it has arrived but brought in transports with Reb prisoners dampened our prospects for a few days more. I do believe that every possible obstacle is thrown in the way of our release, but by whom is it done. Surely our government which has always cared with so generously a hand would not willingly let us suffer so much without an effort to relieve us. I wonder who the new commission to arrange a (undecipherable) or effect & exchange is to be. It has been reported that Butler was appointed but Secesh representatives refused to hold any intercourse with him. Will our Govt. slide him off & appoint another or quarrel a long time over it. If a quarrel & we are kept here in consequence I shall certainly disown them. Well if the Boat is really here we shall hear something with regards to it soon though how reliable we are always at a loss to know.

Sunday, Jany 10th., 1864. It proves that no boat has as yet arrived at least we have it & everything goes to indicate that such is the case. At all events we are here & no signs of being any where else soon. My feet are getting better & so is my health generally & I manage to get something extra nearly every day. Weather quite cold.

Monday, Jany 11th. Nothing has occurred of particular importance today so we will let it pass with this brief notice.

Tuesday, Jany 12th. Will pass this day the same as yesterday.

Wednesday, Jany 13th. Time passes on the same as usual. It will not pay to mention every camp rumor afloat so with my mentioning the sale of beef tea for several days past to raise the Extra & some slight hope that we may yet get away from here soon. Butler has probably been relieved & it is rumored that Burnside will succeed him.

Thursday 14th (Jany). Up in the morning early at work boiling bones sold 25 cts. worth & had all I wanted for breakfast. Diarrhoea coming back on me again so I guess I shall require less ration today & for a few days to come than I have been even. News at night are rather encouraging. Butler instead of being superceded has been recognized by the Rebel Government as the commission on Exchange & that we are to be paroled immediately which means in a few weeks. This news comes late in the evening & for the present as a camp rumor. Nothing more.

Friday, Jany 15th. As on yesterday was up in the morning as soon as it was light but could not sell anything luck seeming to have turned against me as I had been having remarkable good luck peddling heretofore. So I carried my merchandise back to my quarters & retired from business for the day. The news of yesterday is revived & considerable confidence seems to be placed in it. I have but little.

Saturday, Jany 16th. Feel quite poorly again today, was troubled a good deal last night but was somewhat better through the day than during the night. O dear, the news is discouraging again today although it seems that a Boat has arrived at City Point from Baltimore. But hope shall not fail, let reports be what they may.

Sunday, Jany 17th. Last night got a little wheat flour, stirred it into my rice soup stewing it well then sliced in my coarse bread & had a good hearty supper & one which checked my Diarrhoea very much. This morning we got a good rice soup & made a good breakfast but we don't get enough at night, we got nothing but a ration of bread & we all go to bed hungry, very hungry and the prospect of release no nearer apparently than it has been. Shaved my face clean today the first time since I was a soldier.

Monday, Jany 18th. Lying in bed until after 9 O.C. in the morning waiting for (undecipherable) call. I commenced writing to pass away the time. It is three months since I was captured. Then I expected that all enlisted men would be paroled or exchanged & returned to our lines. We were full of health, heart, hope & spirits, we were fleshy, having known but little of hunger, we were confident in our ability to endure almost anything. Now we are down, clear down, starved out. Our flesh as well as hope & spirits are all broken or nearly so. We get peevish & irritable, cross dirty & careless. Eat like beasts, our faces & hands begrimed with dirt & pine smoke & but little inclination to wash them or strength if we had. The weather has been so cold & we with so little wood that we cannot wash but upon warmer days. Yesterday being quite a pleasant one all hands shaved up & took a good wash. This morning it stormed some, am so hungry & faint that I shall do as upon many similar occasions, let it go. Well I'll dry up the writing till the day is passed but I presume this will be made for the day.

Tuesday, 19th. Nothing to eat today but one pound of cornbread & one pt. of U.S. coffee. I am too weak to make any effort to raise any extra & what I shall do I dont know. Well I guess Secesh is bound to starve us at all events.

Wednesday, 20th. One lb. corn bread & half lb. Irish potatoes. I go to bed seemingly nearly famished with hunger. My appetite is craving & I cant get enough to gratify it. O my God what shall I do & yet I dont think or can I make myself believe but what I shall yet come out all right.

Thursday, Jany 21st, 1864. was at first provoked by drawing first 2 ozs rice & 1/2 lb Corn bread but agreeably disappointed when the best bean soup was added. I ate about 1/3 of my soup traded the balance for an issue of rice & made my cup full of a splendid cup of rice. Let us see 1 pt. beans, 1 1/2 rice, & 1/2 lb cornbread, a very fair breakfast, I could live on such rations. But this rice is an Extra furnished by our own Govt. & when we shall get any more God only knows, why dont we get more to eat.

Friday, Jany 22nd, 1864. Our fair (fare) continually decreasing & I am so weak I almost despond lest I may yield to the cravings of hunger & sink.

Friday, 23. Nothing new from yesterday.

Saturday, 24th. Same only the weather is getting warm & springlike.

Saturday, 25th. Sold my Masonic pin today for \$10, Confed \$1.00, U.S. bought rice & molasses & went to selling them, made \$3.00 (Confed) first day & felt much encouraged. What was better our rations were nearly doubled & I went to bed with a full stomach & slept soundly, having left Old Howard as he is called by all the boys bunking with our (undecipherable) boys.

Sunday, 26th. Hi ho got a letter from Eva, the first I have received since my capture. O bless you Eva, ever faithful & true. I'll try & be to you a good kind husband with God's permission. Weather very warm & springlike.

Monday, 27th. Rice business dull today & did not make anything but kept my capital good & had enough to eat. That is more than I can do every day.

Tuesday, 28th. Wound up the business today by selling what stock I had on hands & will try Rations with a small addition. Forgot to mention the receipt of a letter from Cap. Dean promising boxes of provisions & money. The money is now due.

Wednesday, -29th.

Friday, 29th. Wrote or rather sent letter to Cap. Dean & Eva writing yesterday & day before. Gave note to Sergt. Hill concerning express boxes. Weather conditions warm & springlike, very much so. Took a thorough wash today all over.

Sat. Jany 30th. Events transpired in the order recorded though I got the days of the week somewhat mixed. This morning the sky was over cast with clouds &

the air raw & disagreeable. My old camp complaint is again around me. The news nearly nothing. Have been thinking seriously of writing to Father for a box of provisions. Guess I will as soon as I can get some paper.

Sunday, Jany 31. Nothing new. Our usual corn dodger as we have long since denominated our ration of corn bread with soup generally of Rice or the "pea bean." They continue to hand out larger rations than formerly.

Monday, Feby 1st. Will say 'tis the same as yesterday only the weather changed for the worse.

Tuesday, 2nd. And the same began⁷ today.

Wednesday, 3. And still another day the same, why encumber the pages with more only there is fairer weather again.

Thursday, 4th. Hereafter I shall not try to keep a daily record of events as this book is nearly full & I dont know how to keep (get?) another. Suffice it to say here that general prospects of our release do not increase except as time passing brings us nearer to an end perhaps our own in time I shall therefore wait till something new turns up & note it down as it occurs upon the line.

Tuesday, 9th (Feby). After several days of fair but cool weather & this one being spent as usual, all hands were greeted with surprise by a brass band striking the "Mocking Birds" at the front. All hands prophesied some good news were in store for us, but it proved that they had only come over to have a drink with the lieutenant comdr. here & they kept it up till the wee small hours of the morning.

Wednesday, 10th (Feby). I am quite poorly today but finished another Counterfeit Confed. bill. For a week passed this is the way I keep up extra rations. Pretty business for me making counterfeit money.

Thursday, 11th. I felt so much worse today that I reported to the sick call stayed till I was tired & cold, no Dr came & I returned.

Friday, 12th (Feby). Still failing I went to Drs. Call again & was unexpectedly ordered over to Gen Hospital, on the whole I was not sorry especially after being nearly all day in getting through I found myself so completely exhausted that I could scarcely stand finding myself greeted as one of the sickest in consequence I took my bunk, kept it & suffered myself to be treated accordingly. I will remark here that I was much surprised from the start in the management of this prison Hospit. Our own boys are far more attentive & kind than I had been led to anticipate reports, while it is the infernal Reb authorities that do nearly all the stealing & swindling. It seems as if it could be, that at the proper time God will curse this sin polluted people. They are now over run with lice will not all the plagues of Egypt be visited upon them. My own nurse is a true Buckeye boy (1st. O. Cav) & has already shown me some attention God

7) Does he mean "again?"

help him. In extras or luxuries. I have received a few butter crackers, Tamarinds, Java Coffee & beef tea from the Extract all from our own good government, the Rebellion shows us no such favors at her own expense.

Saturday (13th). About the same as yesterday.

Sunday 14th. Valentines day. And how I would like to be exerting my ingenuity upon the usual love epistles but the privilege is denied me & I must be content. I had all the coffee I had ought to drink today though I could have relished more, about three pints in all.

Tuesday 16th. I notice that for some reason our luxuries are all cut off so we are down to corn dodger & soup or a small morsel of meat. Last night I got about two gills of white beans, this morning nothing but a small piece of corn-bread. Think of that for a sick man in what is pretended a civilized country.

Memoranda. Complaints have been made as to our treatment both here & on the island, about the first of the month some persons with the med. director went to the island & had the rations increased. The Reb. Congress then orders an investigation which occurred I think about the sixth make a report to congress who report on the 13th that the charges are without foundation. On the tenth our rations were as small as ever & thus stands their record before the world.

Sunday 21st (Feby). Today I wrote Hawley & Eva, I sent to Hawley for a box of eatables. Wonder if they ever come. Have been gaining in all respects but strength faith & courage good. Have been bunking for several days with a young man by the name of Nichols. Rather an intelligent young man & will remember him. Our rations are not permanently reduced. My nurse favors me a little & I am doing quite well.

Monday (Feby 22). Nichols was transferred to another hospital this morning he was very kind.

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Wednesday, March 2nd, 1864. The morning opens bright & clear but cool after a two days rain storm. I feel bright as a dollar got up made up report toasted my bread ate my breakfast, ate heartier than for several days felt far less inconvenienced from it am not very tired as I have generally felt.

(The diary ends here, no doubt reflecting his worsening health during those final days preceding the death of J. O. Coburn in the prison hospital on March 8, 1864.)

Richmond Va

Oct 26th 1863

Father.

I am a prisoner here
much jaded by the march but otherwise well,
& in as good spirits as could be expected.

Will you be so kind as to write
to H. F. Thomas, Napoleon, Mich. C. C.
Fuller Esq Big Rapids Mich. & Miss Eva
Aldrich, Olcott N. Y. and tell them of it.
also as many others as you wish. Be sure
& write to Edwin - now dont delay these
favours -- please ---

Circumstances require brevity.
so you will excuse it Im sure.

Yours as ever

J. O. Coburn.

Belle Island Prison Camp
(Near Richmond) Feby 6th 1864

Father.

After so long a silence, I write you again. I should have done so long ago but I had heard nothing from a single person in the North. Last week I received a letter from Eva saying you had written her & that "you thought a letter would not reach me." Tis a mistake. Write by all means, but briefly & nothing contraband. I am not well. Have not been since I came here never expect to be again, though I shall weather it through if I remain another year. We have been hoping all along to be released upon some terms. The day is now apparently as distant as ever. The soldiers, great numbers of them have been receiving Expressed boxes of necessaries. I have concluded the circumstances will justify me in asking you to put me up a box of substantial eatables, send to Edgerton or Antwerp & have it Expressed to me. I believe there is no expense to the sender or receiver. But what if there is, I need them & know you will send them. Let me suggest, Smoked ham 20 lbs. Maple sugar 15 lbs, cheese 10 lbs coffee 5 lb Dried Beef 25 lb Butter 10 to 15 lbs or in lieu of Butter Lard or Fried meat fat put up in water tight vessels, Tea 2 lbs a little pepper, mustard or any thing say Raddish roots. I (undecipherable) a large box, of course you can make it of any convenient quantities, only the box must not weigh to exceed 100 lbs.

You will watch the news, should an exchange be effected before you are ready to send the box, hold on to it. If not please send it to ~~Sergt-J.-O.-Coburn-U.-S.-Prisoner-of-War,-Richmond,-Va-(Belle-Island prison)~~ below. Will settle the bill at some future day. Write me a long letter to send in the box giving all news, & a brief one to send by mail addresssed in the same manner. All boxes are inspected here in the presence of the owner. Any contraband matter renders the whole liable to confiscation. All Northern money is contraband except gold & silver. Send no money of any kind. Hoping to hear from you soon but that it may be inside our own lines, I am as Ever

Osborn

Sergt J. O. Coburn
Co I 6th Mich Cavalry
U. S. Prisoner of War
Richmond Va
Belle Island Prison Camp

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Funeral of J. O. Coburn

Died-- In the thirty-third year of his age, at the prison hospital in Richmond, Virginia, March 8th 1864, Q.M. Sergeant Jacob Osburn Coburn, Co. I, 6th Michigan cavalry, of Big Rapids, Mercorta county, Michigan, eldest son of Elder John F. Coburn, of DeKalb county, Indiana. The cause and circumstances of his death are shown in the following letter from his fellow prisoner and death-bed companion, Albert S. Patrick of New York, to the father of the deceased:

"Your son fell a victim to the inhuman cruelty and barbarous treatment of our captors, and I do not overstate the truth when I say that he literally starved to death on Belle Isle. He came to the prisoners' hospital on the 14th of February, sick with chronic diarrhea. I was acting Stewart at the time, and when he came in, noticed he was a man of more than ordinary intelligence, and soon made his acquaintance. I furnished him every comfort possible under the circumstances, and he so far recovered as to come down stairs and try to do my writing. I felt greatly encouraged in regard to his case, and cheered him all I could, but three days had not passed before he relapsed, and in forty-eight hours was dead. His system was completely worn out and nature could not rally. To give you some idea of how fearfully emaciated he was, I will tell you that his ankle was far larger than his thigh, and his hip bones protruded through the skin.* * * * * His mind was clear up to his latest breath and he conversed in regard to his approaching end, calmly, and I never before saw a man to whom death had so few horrors; and whenever I think of him, I pray my last end may be like his.

Three thousand of our men are filling prisoners' graves in Richmond, and this since September 30th, '63. I am in possession of facts and figures taken from the hospital records, that, if compiled in shape, would cause the entire civilized world to cry out, "Shame on the abortion of a Davis Government." * * * * * What think you of 10 oz. of bread made of unsifted meal, 2 oz. of poor beef and one pint of black pea soup, without the peas, as a ration for a convalescent sick man? By ration, I mean twenty-four hours supply of food."

The funeral services were conducted by Elder James Hadsell, at the Christian Church in the Coburn settlement, in Concord, DeKalb County, Indiana, May 1st, 1864.

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ALTON FAMILY

Among the earliest settlers in the Coburntown community, one of the most significant was the minister and evangelist Benjamin Alton. He resided there only a comparatively short while but the impact he made during his residence there was of lasting duration. It would be appropriate if the information were available to devote much more space in this volume to a report of his accomplishments, his family life, and the lives of his descendants. However, the facts of his limited life span and constantly moving from place to place in his evangelistic endeavors have necessarily limited the amount of data that can be compiled. The comments about Benjamin Alton in the histories of the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners in early chapters of this volume define his character and his dedicated ministry.

It has also been rather difficult to trace the Alton line of descent due to a lack of information on the connecting links. However, there is a record in the book, "History of Woodstock, Ct." Vol. II by C. W. Bowen in the section titled "Genealogies of Woodstock Families" which provides us with an account of Alton families residing in that area and establishes some background on the Alton's in America. Although there is no identification of an immigrant ancestor, we are provided at least with a starting point for the Alton descendants in this volume and the information on early generations of direct interest is taken from the Woodstock History. It is unfortunate that this record does not provide more biographical data but we must be grateful for what has been given. Alton descendants may wish to refer to the Woodstock record to learn more about their related families of that area.

William Alton is established as the first-known generation in America, having been at Marblehead in the year 1700 and died before 9 APR 1778 (will proved). In 1738, he removed to Thompson and in 1747 to Oxford. He headed a petition in 1754 to have the town of Oxford divided to form the new town of Charlton and in 1755 he was treasurer of Charlton. His sons John, William, and Joseph had adjoining farms in Thompson near the Woodstock line at Harrisville. On 16 DEC 1719, William married Mercy Eliot, daughter of Joseph Eliot and Sarah Collins. Their children were:

- John b. 1720 d. 17 MAY 1780 m. Elizabeth Hosmer (10 ch.)
- William Jr. d. FEB 1787 m. Sarah Cummings (10 ch.)
- David m. Rebecca Gould (6 ch.)
- Joseph m. Zerviah Lyon (2 ch.)
- +Benjamin b. 1742.

Benjamin Alton of the second generation born 1742 married at Charlton 6 JUN 1765 Susanna Blood of Charlton. Their children:

- +Moses b. 28 AUG 1766 (or 22 AUG 1767) d. 28 FEB 1849.
- Mercy b. 26 MAY 1768 m. Danforth Clark.
- Olive b. 21 JUN 1770 m. Asa Fenton.
- Amasa b. 18 APR 1772 m. Silence Leach.
- Miriam b. 4 APR 1776.
- Rachel b. 23 SEP 1779 m. (int.) Dr. Abisha Howard.
- Benjamin Jr. b. 27 JAN 1783.

Benjamin Alton m/2 Betsey (Chard) Town. Their child:

Betsey m. Cyril Jacobs.

Moses Alton of the third generation was born 22 AUG 1767 and died 28 FEB 1849 s. of Benjamin Alton and Susanna Blood. He married on 26 APR 1787 Miriam Prince born 12 MAY 1770 and died 29 MAR 1838, dau. of Stephen Prince and Abigail Perkins. Both Benjamin and Miriam are buried in LaGrange Cemetery at Covington, Wyoming Co., N.Y. Their birth and death dates appear in the death records at that location. Their children:

Moses Jr. b. between 1787 and 1794.

William b. 8 JUN 1789 d. 27 FEB 1840.

+Benjamin b. 22 FEB 1799 d. 2 APR 1847.

The placement of Benjamin as a son of Moses and Miriam Alton is not proven but is based upon (1) census records, (2) recorded reference to Benjamin as having resided during his youth at Genesee Co., N.Y., and (3) the fact that Benjamin and his brother William each had a son named Lorenzo Dow Alton, it being a fairly common practice at that time to honor a relative in this manner.

The Moses Alton family was enumerated in the 1820 census at Genesee Co. (later becoming Wyoming Co.) N.Y., the surname then appearing as "Olton" in the hand-written census record. It is not recorded when Moses and Miriam settled in Covington, Genesee Co., N.Y. but son William brought his family there in 1816 so it seems probable that his parents came at about the same time.

A cousin of Moses Alton Sr. by the name of David Alton also appeared in the 1820 census in Genesee Co., N.Y. (at Orangeville) but earlier census records did not list him as having a son born c.1799, which seems to rule him out as the possible father of the Benjamin Alton designated as a probable son of Moses.

In the 1830 census at Perry in Genesee Co., N.Y., Moses and Miriam Alton (both between 60 and 70 years old) were enumerated there with a female under 5 and another 20-30 years old; it is assumed that these may have been grandchildren. The 1840 census at Covington, Genesee Co., N.Y. shows Moses living with the family of son William, both Moses' wife Miriam and son William having deceased; she in 1838 and he early in 1840.

Moses Alton Jr. of the fourth generation, the presumed son of Moses Alton and Miriam Prince, also was enumerated in the 1820 census at Covington in Genesee Co., N.Y. between the age of 46 and 44 years, engaged in the pursuit of agriculture. His family then consisted of one daughter under the age of 10 and two more between the ages of 16 and 24 years. Since no female is listed appearing to be Moses' wife, it is assumed she may have already deceased.

No further census enumeration has been found for Moses Alton Jr. after 1820.

William Alton of the fourth generation, son of Moses Alton and Miriam Prince, was born 8 JUN 1789 Charlton, Town of Worcester, Mass. and died 27 FEB 1840 Ae 50y 8m at Covington, Genesee Co., N.Y., bur. LaGrange Cem., Covington, N.Y. He married

prob. c.1814 Polly --?-- b. c.1796 in Massachusetts. William and Polly settled in Covington, Genesee Co., NY in 1816. Their children:

Davis b. 7 DEC 1815 nr. Whitestown, Oneida Co., N.Y. d. 20 MAR 1867 Sanduskey, Erie Co., Ohio bur. LaGrange Cem., Covington, N.Y.
Lorenzo D. b. 17 MAR 1817 Covington, Genesee Co., N.Y. d. 29 MAR 1846
Ae 29y 12d, bur. LaGrange Cem., Covington, N.Y.
William b. c.1820 N.Y. (prob. Covington) m. poss. c.1853 Carolyn B. --?--.
Elizabeth b. poss. c.1825 m. DEC 1847 Batavia, N.Y. Guy R. Brown.
Myron B. b. c.1827 N.Y. (prob. Covington) m. Sarah M. --?--.
dau. b. poss. c.1830 m. D. C. Houghton.
Thomas J. b. 1836 Covington, Genesee Co., N.Y. d. after 1880 m. 1858
Sarah T. Cronkhite b. 1836 dau. of John Cronkhite and Eunice Wigans.
The following reference is extracted from an issue of a Wyoming Co.,
N.Y. periodical which pertains to the widow of Thomas J. Alton:
".....farms belonging to Thomas Wright who inherited the place from
Mrs. Sarah C. Alton, who committed suicide the night Wright was married to Martha Barber. he had been Mrs. Alton's hired man."

It is thought that possibly William and Polly Alton's first-born son received the unusual given name Davis as a token of honor toward Keziah Davis, the wife of David Alton previously mentioned as a cousin of Moses Alton and residing along with William and his father Moses in Genesee Co., N.Y. around 1820.

This brings us to Benjamin Alton of the fourth generation, son of Moses Alton and Miriam Prince. He is one of the principal members among the early settlers in what is known as the Coburntown area in DeKalb Co., Ind. and the details concerning his life and family appear in the following pages. Living less than 50 years, his work in this community as a minister and evangelist during a period of only about 15 years has made such an indelible mark that today more than 125 years since his passing, his name instantly is recognized with respect by many DeKalb Co. residents, particularly those acquainted with the Church of Christ at Coburntown.

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ALTON FAMILY

GENERATION ONE
(Coburntown Branch)

1. BENJAMIN ALTON b. 22 FEB 1799 d. 7 APR 1847 bur. Wabash, Wabash Co., Ind. s. of Moses Alton and Miriam Prince m. prob. c. 1819 Francis (Fanny) Hoyt b. between 1800-1810 d. 23 MAR 1847 bur. Wabash, Ind. believed the dau. of Benjamin Hoyt. We have no explanation for the deaths of Benjamin and Fanny Alton only weeks apart.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

- +2. Lorenzo Dow b. 3 OCT 1820 d. 28 SEP 1857.
- +3. Benjamin Jr. b. 1822 d. 26 MAR 1875.
- +4. Mark b. NOV 1825 d. 19 JUN 1903.
- +5. Marilla M. b. c.1832 d. 15 MAR 1878.
- +6. Cyrus b. 4 JAN 1835 d. prob. c.1906.

According to the 1840 census in DeKalb Co., Ind. there was a second daughter in this family born between 1835 and 1840 but she is not identified in any contemporary account of Benjamin Alton's family. However, in DeKalb Co., Ind. on 15 MAY 1851 a Mary Ann Alton married Daniel Rupe (Roop), thereafter residing in Fairfield Twp., DeKalb Co. where he was a farmer. Mary Ann's age coincides with that of Benjamin Alton's unnamed daughter and there was no other Alton family residing at that time in DeKalb Co. so it would appear likely that Mary Ann was the sixth child of Benjamin and Fanny Alton. It is found in the 1880 census that the birthplace of Mary Ann and both parents is given as "Pennsylvania"; but it is the author's opinion that, for whatever reason, the census data may be in accurate in this instance. Daniel and Mary Ann Roop had the following children as enumerated in the 1880 census: (Surname ROOP)

John b. c.1854 Ind.
Henry b. c.1859 Ind.
Samuel b. c.1863 Ind.
William b. c.1869 Ind.
Harry b. c.1874 Ind.

In the 1820 census at Kingsville Twp., Ashtabula Co., Ohio, Benjamin and Fanny Alton were enumerated next door to the family of Benjamin Hoyt and wife who were then past the age of 45. This location and other factors give rise to the conclusion that Fanny Hoyt probably was a daughter of Benjamin Hoyt.

Little is known about Benjamin Alton's activities from 1820 to about 1827. His occupation in 1820 was "farmer" but it is assumed that he also constantly furthered his intense interest in the ministry as evidenced earlier when residing in Genesee Co., N.Y.

An account of Benjamin Alton's years 1827-1835 appears in the "Early History of the Disciples in the Western Reserve" compiled by A. S. Hayden and published in 1875. The information presented therein concerning Benjamin Alton is at-

tributed by one source as having been supplied by John Fitch Coburn, a contemporary of Benjamin Alton in DeKalb Co., Indiana; and because of the insight it provides on the character of this individual who figured so significantly in the Coburntown settlement and left his enduring mark on subsequent generations of families of that community, a complete copy of the published account follows:

NORTH BLOOMFIELD

BENJAMIN ALTON was born February 22, 1799. His early life was spent in Genesee County, New York. At the age of eighteen, he was a zealous exhorter among the Methodists. Falling in with Elder Wm. True, of the "Christian Connection," he was baptized by him, and continued to preach the gospel as he understood it.

About the year 1827, he moved to North Bloomfield, Trumbull County. He was a man of marked abilities, full size, finely formed, and possessed most winning manner and tender speech. He had been very successful as a revivalist among the "New Lights" or "Christians." In the process of his ministry he became convinced that something was radically wrong in the exhibition of the gospel in these times, as no case is to be found in all the history of the apostles' preaching of penitent sinners mourning for days and nights, and sighing for undiscovered pardon. The sensitive heart of the sympathetic Alton was overwhelmed, as he saw many souls weeping under conviction for sin, crying out to know what they should do, while the only answer ever given was to continue in that very condition of agony, and that relief some time and in some way might be expected. Disgusted and discouraged, he resolved to hide himself away in a "lodge" in the wilderness, and there in quietness and seclusion, to live for his family and heaven. He settled on lands in the dense forests of Bloomfield. He had traveled much, and witnessed with grief and shame the sectarianisms of the day; and, moreover, he thought it a great mistake that the gospel contained no express provision by which a repenting sinner might be assured at once of the forgiveness of his sins. He was fast tending to skepticism, and might have been swept into the vortex of infidelity, but for an incident which called him forth to the light and to great usefulness.

About the year 1829, the good people of Bloomfield called a public meeting, and resolved to unite in raising a fund to support preaching, and all go to meeting together. It was an effort, after its kind, to form a union for religious purposes; a union out of diversity. But the union not arising out of previously existing unity -- the only condition of a permanent union -- it proved of short duration. Yet they entered into the enterprise in good heart, with good intentions, and good omens. As the Presbyterians were the most numerous, they were to have the house half the time; the Baptists and the Methodists one quarter, and the Unitarians the other quarter. Squire Brown, a prominent citizen, was to secure the Unitarian minister. By some of the more rigid in sentiment he was thought to be skeptical; but he entered heartily into the arrangement as a means of the moral improvement of the town. By him Benjamin Alton was engaged. Alton, thus called from his coveted retreat, consented to gird himself again in the panoply of the gospel. He came regularly to his appointments. He would sit quite a while in the pulpit, and then, rising, proceed to preach without singing or prayer. He usually preached on the prophecies, and many became interested in his sermons.

About this time William Hayden preached at the center of Bloomfield, and staying overnight with Alton, these two Bible men spent much of the night searching the

Scriptures in relation to the ancient gospel, particularly as it relates to the manner in which the apostles preached it, and brought convicted sinners into the light and peace of pardon. In the course of the same year, Alton heard Thomas Campbell. In that discourse he saw the scriptural plan of salvation. The darkness, which like a cloud had rested on the Bible, cleared away, and he discovered to his great joy that God had not left us ignorant of what to do to be saved. Like Saul, when the scales fell from his eyes, he forthwith preached the gospel after the models found in the sermons of the apostles.

The alarm was sounded at once. The people had never agreed to hear a "Campbellite." The union exploded and went to the four winds. The people called another meeting, dissolved the covenant, and each party agreed to support its own meeting.

Alton kept up his appointments. Four or five were baptized this season. In 1830-1, some others were converted. In 1832, Bro. Alton preached half the time, and began to attend regularly to the Lord's Supper. They were now meeting in a schoolhouse, where they continued several years, during which time they were growing strong and more numerous, under the visits of Hayden, Henry, the Bosworths, Applegate, and others.

In 1836, Bro. Alton moved to DeKalb County, Indiana. There he displayed the same zeal which had always warmed his own heart, and melted the hearts of hundreds. Suffering all the hardships of pioneer life in a densely wooded country, contending with marsh and miasm, he still found time to preach the gospel and plant churches. With a numerous family, little money in the country, and nothing to sell to procure any, his fare was the plainest, and his costume anything but clerical. Sometimes without a coat -- but a wrapper instead -- a shoe on one foot, the other honored with a boot, he traveled afoot to his appointments. His genial disposition, manly form, sweetness of countenance, and earnest, convincing pathos, full of Scripture withal, brought many from far to hear his sermons, and many turned to righteousness. Some of the churches planted by him in that wilderness, are yet standing and flourishing.

As illustrative of the straightened condition of those days, a young man wished Elder Alton to perform for him the marriage ceremony. Unable to pay money for the service, he stipulated to compensate him with pumpkins! The service was rendered cheerfully, to the satisfaction of the happy bridegroom, and the next day he brought a large load of selected "fruit of vine," and delivered them to the very needy and equally gratified parson.

Exhaustive toil, and the malaria of the rich opening soil, undermined his naturally hardy constitution. He sank gradually to a feeble state from which he could not rally. His wife, the faithful sharer of his life and fortunes, sank with him and before him. She died March 24, 1847. He survived thirteen days longer, and fell asleep, April 7th, aged only a little over forty-eight years. He was universally lamented. His talents commanded the respect of the people, who sought to put him on the ticket for political fame. But he chose to suffer reproach with the people of God. Like all men who move men for God, he was a most devoted Bible student. It is said he had the whole New Testament by heart. His family are religious, and his youngest son, Cyrus Alton, is devotedly engaged in the ministry of the gospel.

Departing in 1836 from that part of Trumbull Co., Ohio which later became Ashtabula County, Benjamin Alton joined others from the area in removing to the still wild part of northeastern Indiana at the extreme western reaches of the Great Black Swamp that was to become DeKalb Co., Indiana. It may be that his migration to DeKalb County was not altogether coincidental inasmuch as others coming from the same general area in Ohio included Lemuel and Hannah (Hoyt) Flint and Amelia (Hoyt) Hayford. It seems possible that these Hoyt descendants were related to Benjamin Alton's wife Fanny Hoyt.

Benjamin's years at this new location are adequately set forth in the two histories of the Church of Christ at Coburntown which appear in this volume, wherein his part in establishing this church and his evangelistic efforts are so well described that the author needs add nothing more than to acclaim his constant devotion to the religious beliefs that guided his every action and to note the impact of his success in the ministry.

Not content to remain long in one location and driven by his desire to extend the teachings of his faith, the last formal report of Benjamin Alton's activities is to be found in the 1846 issue of the "Millennial Harbinger," a publication of the Disciples Church organization. This brief account follows in its entirety:

Huntington County, Indiana, June 12, 1846

"I moved to this country, from Ohio, in 1836, and organized the first congregation, of nine members, in July, the same year, in DeKalb county; and as we had but little opposition, truth gradually progressed, and there is now many large and respectable congregations raised up in these Western States to honor and to glorify God.

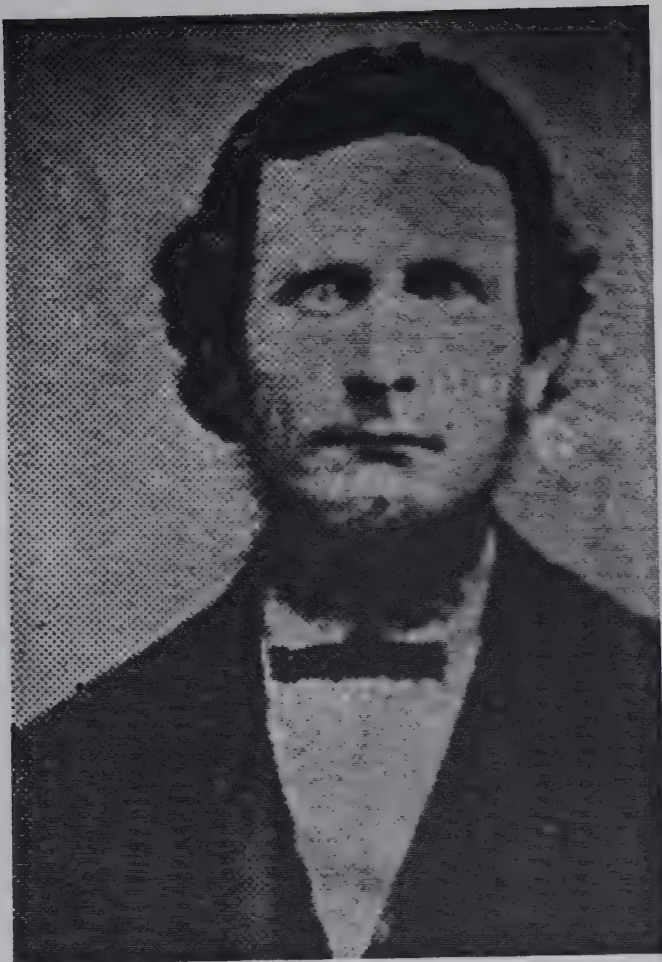
"We still increase in numbers in proportion to our faithfulness to the cause of truth. We have never progressed with great rapidity, neither have we been driven from the track by the flights of imagination or the excitement of animal passion. We have considered it important that each and every church should be understandingly and scripturally organized, and every member understand their moral obligations to God, and their relative duties to one another.

"This year I am employed by the brethren in Huntington and Wabash counties. Prospects good."

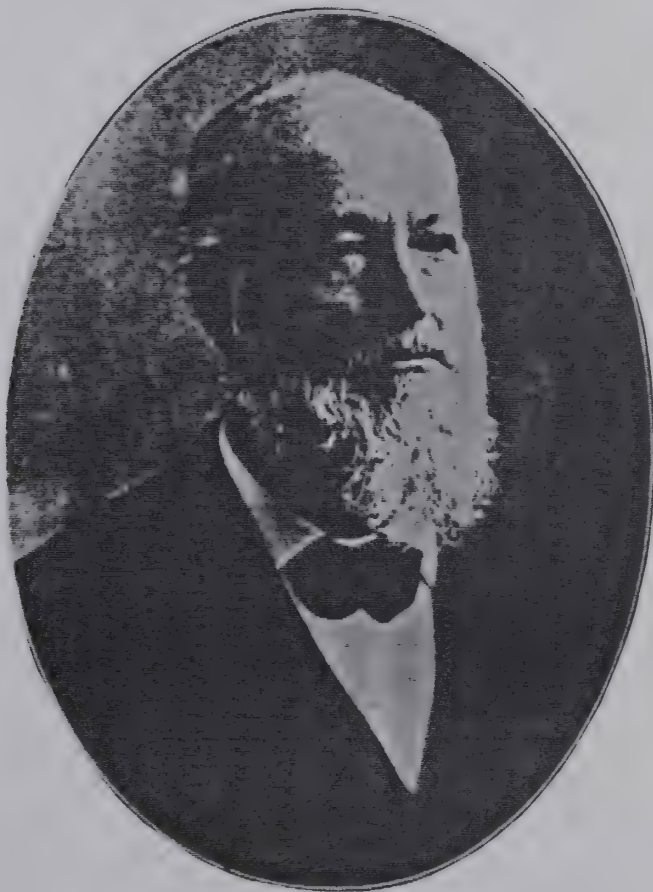
BENJAMIN ALTON

During the month of October, 1906, Benjamin Alton's youngest son Cyrus went to visit the burial place of his parents near Wabash, Indiana with the intention of having their remains returned to DeKalb County for reinterment in the cemetery of the Coburntown Church of Christ, the site having been deeded long before by Benjamin Alton to the church. At that moment in 1906, the church trustees were planning to incorporate the grounds, naming it the Alton Cemetery. After Cyrus Alton's visit to Wabash, he reported his parents' graves in such a beautiful cemetery that he decided to leave them at that place and accordingly ordered a monument to mark their resting place there.

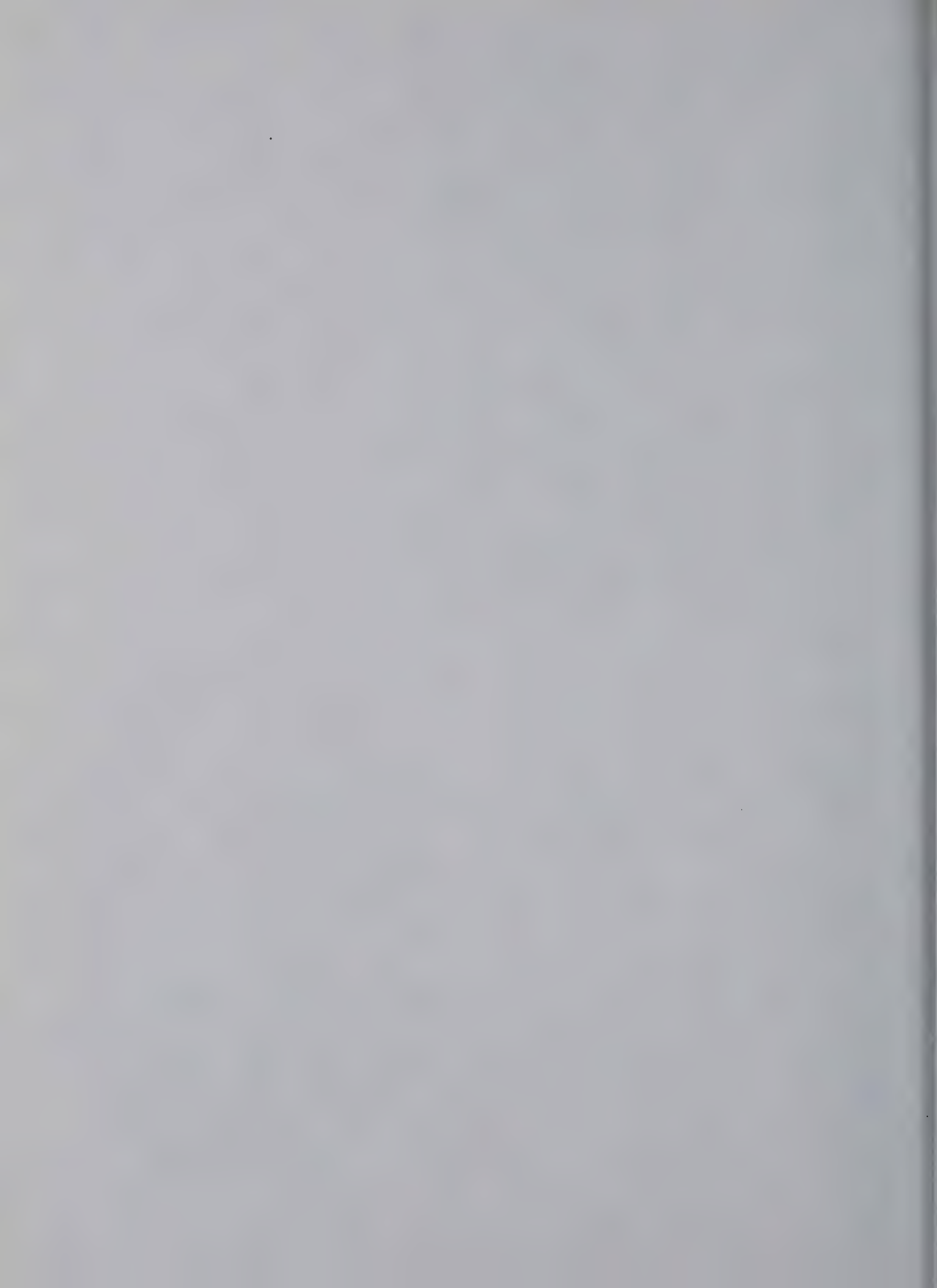
Upon coming from Ohio to DeKalb Co., Ind., Benjamin Alton entered 40 acres of land near the St. Joseph River about 1½ miles north of Coburn's Corners, and here he built a log cabin 16 x 20 to house his family.



Benjamin Alton (#1)



Cyrus Alton (#6)



ALTON FAMILY

GENERATION TWO
(Coburntown Branch)

2. LORENZO DOW ALTON (Benjamin Alton) b. 3 OCT 1820 Ohio (prob. Ashtabula Co.) d. 28 SEP 1857 bur. Center Cem., Bloomfield Twp., Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of Benjamin Alton and Frances Hoyt m. 5 NOV 1839 (lic.) DeKalb Co., Ind. to Aurelia C. Netterfield b. 16 DEC 1823 Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 2 APR 1907 Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

- +7. Candace b. c.1839/1840.
- +8. Mariah Cassidania b. 23 MAR 1841 d. 11 JUN 1906.
- +9. Albert M. b. 27 DEC 1844 d. 16 APR 1924.
- 10. Benjamin.
- 11. Dow.

Shortly after Lorenzo deceased, Aurelia m/2 John S. Hobart Sr. and resided in Ohio. Their children: (Surname HOBART)

- (1) John.
 - (2) Allison (twin) b. SEP 1859 d. before 1907.
 - (3) Addison D. (twin) b. SEP 1859 m. Melva S. --?-- b. FEB 1860 Ohio.
- Their Children: (Surname HOBART)
- (1) Shirley b. JAN 1887 Ohio.
 - (2) Dwayne b. SEP 1888 Ohio.

Allison D. Hobart was a physician and resided at Toledo, Ohio where his mother died 2 APR 1907. She may have m/3 inasmuch as her name when enum. with the family of her son at Toledo, Ohio in 1900 was given as Orilla (Aurelia) Cunningham.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Wednesday, April 10, 1907

Aurelia C. Netterfield born in Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio Dec. 16, 1823 moved with her parents to Indiana in 1838, was married to Lorenzo Dow Alton in 1839. After his death she was united to John S. Hobart Sr. She had by her first husband four children: Maria C.; Albert M.; Benjamin, and Dow, all but Albert have gone before. She had three children by Mr. Hobart, John and Addison and Alison, twins, of whom John Hobart and Dr. A. D. Hobart are living while Allison has preceded her to the spirit land. Mrs. A. C. Hobart joined the Christian Church when twelve years old and lived as near a perfect life as fallible mortals can hope to attain. She died at her son's home in Toledo, April 2nd, 1907, aged 83 years.

3. BENJAMIN ALTON JR. (Benjamin Alton) b. 1822 Ohio (probably Ashtabula Co.) d. 26 MAR 1875 Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Benjamin Alton Sr. and Frances Hoyt m. 15/21 NOV 1841 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. Sarah Alvira (Sally) Coburn b. 7 DEC 1821 N.Y. d. 26 AUG 1905 Walkerville, Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of Gurden Coburn and Cynthia Phillips. Both Benjamin and Sally are bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

- +12. Samantha Lucretia b. 1844 d. 1913.

- 13. Silvia Cordelia b. c.1847 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. Andrew Kimes. Resided in Idaho.
- 14. Eliza Amelia b. c.1852 d. in Nebraska, m. Almon Root.
- +15. Sarah Cornelia b. 1853 Ohio d. 1909 bur. Maplegrove Cem., Fremont, Mich.
- +16. Candace Marilla b. 9 DEC 1857 d. 17 DEC 1933.
- 17. Amanda Letetia d. inf.
- +18. Mansie C. b. FEB 1875 Michigan.

In the census of 1850, Benjamin's occupation was given as "cooper" but he later became a farmer and a carpenter.

The following paragraph is taken from the publication "Portrait and Biographical Album of Newaygo County, Michigan" of 1884:

"Among the first settlers here were the Dickinson brothers, Philip and Wallace. These two brothers and John Dickinson (deaf and dumb) came from Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio along with Benjamin Alton, in the winter of 1854-5. Mr. Alton returned home in the spring, and Philip and Wallace Dickinson came to Fremont, then called Newfoundland, March 7, 1855, where they spent their first night in the "old log house." On the 9th they pre-empted the northeast quarter of section 34, southeast quarter of section 27, and southwest quarter of section 26, all in township 13 north, range 14 west, now known as Dayton."

Benjamin Alton Jr. remained at Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio until enlisting in the Civil War at Kendallville, Ind. on 10 NOV 1864, age 42, carpenter, substitute for Nelson Scholes (a minister), but giving his residence at that time as Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. His enlistment was for one year. His description was given as eyes blue, hair auburn, complexion fair, and height 5' 10". Muster rolls show that he was a private in Co. A, 13 Reg't Indiana Inf.

Mustered out of the Army 5 SEP 1865, Benjamin returned to DeKalb Co., Ind. and then moved his family to Fremont in Newaygo Co., Mich. where they remained thereafter.

4. MARK ALTON (Benjamin Alton) b. NOV 1825 Ohio d. 19 JUN 1903 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. Ae 77y 7m (softening of brain) s. of Benjamin Alton and Frances Hoyt m. 24 JUL 1847 DeKalb Co., Ind. Lorinda (Laurinda) White, a native of Ohio b. c.1827, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

- +19. Lillian L. b. 13 JUL 1858.
- 20. Cyrus b. c.1841 Ind.
- +21. Willis H. (or B.) b. JAN 1863 Ohio.

In occupation, Mark Alton was a cooper in 1850 and a carpenter later as indicated by his death record. His wife predeceased him but the date is not known.

He was enumerated in 1900 with the family of son Willis in Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Michigan.

5. MARY MARILLA ALTON b. c. 1832 Ohio d. 15 MAR 1878 Ae 46y 1m 19d dau. of Benjamin Alton and Frances Hoyt m. 24 JAN 1850 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell to Alonzo

King b. 1827 N.Y. died 12 MAR 1878 Ae 50y 7m 16d, his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname KING)

+22. Candace Cordelia b. 9 NOV 1852 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d.
19/20 NOV 1931 Ae 79y 10d DeKalb Co., Ind.

Alonzo King was a farmer at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Indiana.

Obituary: Christian Standard, vol. 13, no. 15, April 13, 1878

"After a somewhat protracted release from affliction, our brother and sister Alonzo King and Marilla King have been suddenly taken from us.

"In the early settlement of the country, not far from the year 1840, Mr. King, a young man, came into our neighborhood, identified himself with our society, became a Christian, shared with us the hardships as well as the advantages of of the then new country. Not far from the same time, Elder Benjamin Alton came here also with his family, among whom was Marilla, his daughter, not yet a woman; and though her parents moved away and died in a strange place, she still remained with her friends near us, and in process of time became united in marriage with Bro. King, and both united with the church meeting at Coburn's Corners, DeKalb Co., Ind. where they remained, prospered and esteemed, until, during the present month, March, 1878, they sickened and died within four days of each other.

"He sickened March 4, and died the 12th; and she sickened the 11th, and died the 15th. They leave one child -- a married woman -- with many friends."

John F. Coburn.

Both Alonzo and Marilla King are buried in Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Indiana.

6. CYRUS ALTON (Benjamin Alton) b. 4 JAN 1835 d. 7 SEP 1910 s. of Benjamin Alton and Frances Hoyt m. 28 AUG 1861 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell to Sally Melvina Abel b. c.1843/1844 Ind. d. 5 JAN 1922 Elmwood, Nebr. dau. of George Homer Abel and Electa Hadsell.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

23. Inf. d. 1 JUN 1862 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

24. Geneva (Jennie ?) b. c.1863 Ind.

25. Fannie E. b. 13 MAY 1865 d. 16 FEB 1867 Ae 1y 10m 3d bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

26. Lucette (Lettie) b. 13 FEB 1870 Sherman Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich.
m. 12 MAY 1887 Wm. S. Waters of Elmwood, Nebr. at her parent's home in Elmwood.

+27. William A. b. OCT 1874 Nebr.

Cyrus Alton's contacts with the Coburntown community in DeKalb Co., Ind. were maintained over the many years that he resided quite some distance away and frequent mentions appeared in the St. Joe News of his activities.

CYRUS ALTON was born in DeKalb County, Ind. Jan. 4, 1841. His parents died when he was six years old, leaving him the legacy of godly lives spent in the Master's service. His early life was full of privation and hardship. By hard labor he educated himself, taking a three years' course at Newville Academy. In 1858 he taught his first term of school in Defiance County, O. It was about this time, and at the age of seventeen or eighteen years, that he began his work in the ministry, being especially successful in holding "protracted meetings" as the revival in the earlier day was termed.

In August, 1861, he was married to Melvina Abel at St. Joe, Ind. This being the first year of the war, he promptly enlisted in the Forty-fourth Indiana Regiment, but was rejected on the score of physical disability and given an honorable discharge. In all, three attempts were made to enlist.

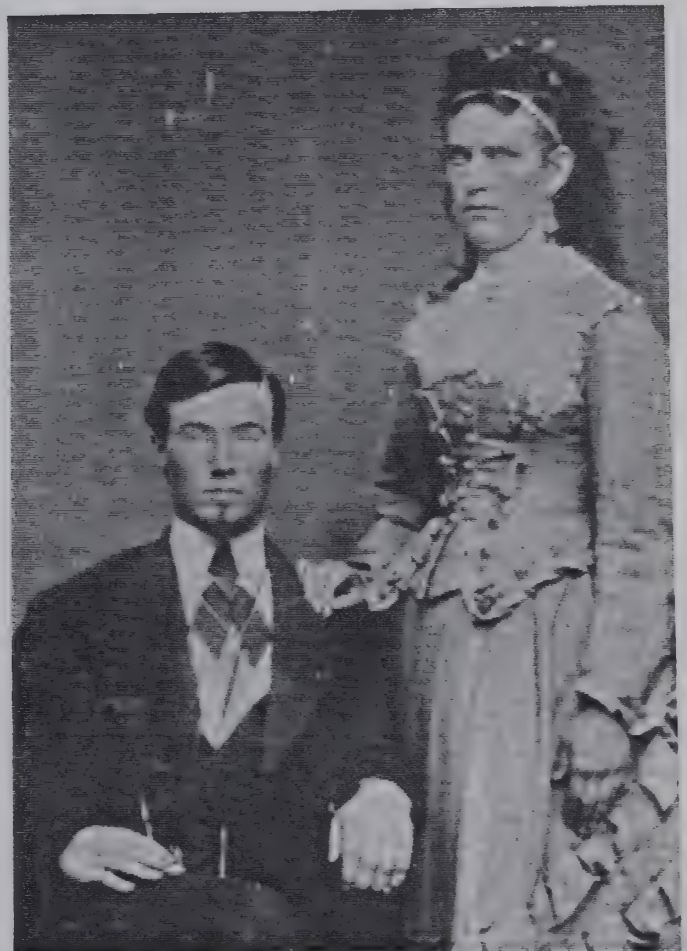
At the close of the war he studied for a time in Hiram College, and it was here that he had the privilege of an acquaintanceship with General Garfield. Going to Newaygo County, Mich., in 1867, he taught school and preached for a time. At Fremont, Mich. he held a meeting with 125 additions; later he was appointed county superintendent to fill a vacancy. He was elected to the office in 1869 and re-elected in 1871, resigning this position in 1872 to come to Nebraska, locating at Plattsmouth, where he served for a year as minister of that church. It was during this year that he came to Stove Creek (Cass Co., Nebr.) and preached in the schoolhouse then located one mile east of Elmwood, Nebr. In this vicinity he taught school in the winter, farmed in the summer and preached in the summer and winter, and this was with an entire disregard for personal comfort, and no other thought than the extension of the kingdom of God among men. He was elected county superintendent of this county in 1881, and re-elected in 1883. It was during this time that he served as minister of the church at Greenwood, Nebr. Eighteen months of this time he had baptismal services each Lord's Day. After returning to Elmwood he began his work at Grandview, this county. This service continued for ten or eleven years. After this he spent one year with his son, Dr. Alton, while he was a missionary on the island of Porto Rico, who will be long remembered there.

The best years of his life were given to this community as minister, teacher, postmaster, citizen and friend. He departed this life Sept. 7, 1910, at the age of 69 years, 8 months and 3 days. His family, consisting of wife, two daughters, a son and grandchildren mourn their loss, for he was ever a tender, loving husband, a kind and indulgent father and grandfather. His funeral was held in the Christian Church at Elmwood, Nebr. September 9, conducted by J. E. Harris, assisted by H. G. Wilkin-son.

The places of business were closed in Elmwood, and many friends came from Lincoln and surrounding towns. After the funeral people gathered in little groups in the beautiful cemetery and talked of what that beautiful life had meant to them.



Benjamin Alton Jr. (#3)



Benjamin Alton Jr. (#3) &
sister Marilla M. Alton (#5)

ALTON FAMILY

GENERATION THREE
(Coburntown Branch)

7. CANDACE ALTON (Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. c.1839 Ind. dau. of Lorenzo D. Alton and Aurelia C. Netterfield m. 9 SEP 1856 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell to David N. Shull b. c.1836 Penn. s. of Daniel Shull and Susan Newcomer.

Children: (Surname SHULL)

28. Eugenia b. c.1858 Ind.

When this family was enumerated in 1860 at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. there was enum. with them David's brother Jonathan and his sister Lydia.

David and Candace removed to Lansing, Mich. some time prior to 1885 and apparently remained there.

8. MARIAH CASSIDANIA (MARIE) ALTON (Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 23 MAR 1841 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 11 JUN 1906 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Lorenzo D. Alton and Aurelia C. Netterfield m. 13 JUL 1858/1859 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell to James Mortimer (Mort) Milliman b. 24 JAN 1835 Niagara Co., N.Y. d. 14 JUL 1920 Ae 85 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of John M. Milliman and Mary Ann Warren. Both Mariah and James are bur. in Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

+29. Amelia Estella b. c.1863 Ind. d. 3 JAN 1941.

30. Albert A. b. c.1865 Ind. d. 12 MAR 1929 Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. Ae 63y 11m 29d (organic heart lesions). He was injured when young in a railroad accident in which he suffered some brain damage, afterward becoming withdrawn and living a hermit-like existence in a very remote rural setting near Fremont, Mich. Unm.

+31. George W. b. FEB 1868 Mich. d. 4 FEB 1938.

32. Retta A. b. 1870 Ind. d. 1898 Mich. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. (cripple). unm.

33. Clifford E. b. APR 1873 Ind. d. 20 MAY 1939 Ae 66 DeKalb Co., Ind. unm. An accomplished whistler, he and his sister Fanny on piano performed often throughout the county.

34. Fanny b. SEP 1878 Ind. d. 3 MAY 1926 Los Angeles, Calif. (Smallpox) m/1 2 JUL 1912 Edgeland, N. Dak. to Mike Beaber s. of Nathaniel Beaber and Elizabeth Walters. No. issue. She later m. Phillip F. Smith whose dates and parentage have not been determined. They departed from DeKalb Co., Ind. about 1922 and spent one year in Iowa before moving on to California where she died. No issue.

+35. John Dow b. b. 30 SEP 1882 Ind. d. 11 NOV 1942 Ae 60 Alvordton, Williams Co., Ohio

James Milliman served in the Civil War, being mustered in as a Corporal 22 NOV 1861 in Co. F, 44th Ind. Regiment along with his brothers Henry and Warren. He took part in engagements at Fort Donelson, Pittsburg Landing and Shiloh and suffered a severe wound by gunshot in his right arm at this latter place. he was confined for a time in the hospital at Evansville, Ind. and was discharged 22 DEC 1862.

In occupation he was a photographer, teacher, and farmer. The family residence was maintained in DeKalb Co., Ind. throughout except for the years 1864 through 1869 when they lived in Michigan. He was a staunch member and worker in the Church of Christ at Coburntown.

St. Joe and the surrounding neighborhood were shocked Tuesday morning, June 12, 1906 to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Mariah Milliman. She had been in poor health during the past winter but she had improved so much the the attending physician had hopes of her recovery. She was in town on Monday afternoon and seemed as spry and jolly as anyone but that evening soon after retiring for the night she became suddenly ill and before medical aid reached the home, she was dead.

Obituary:

St. Joe New; Wednesday, June 20, 1906

Mariah C. Alton was born March 23, 1841 on the old Alton farm one mile and a half north of the Coburn's Corners church on the river, and departed this life June 11, 1906, aged 65 years, 2 months and 19 days.

She was married to J. M. Milliman, July 13, 1858. To this union seven children were born, four sons and three daughters, all of whom are living except Retta, who died eight years ago. Mrs. Milliman leaves to mourn their loss an aged mother, husband, six children, one brother, two half-brothers, five grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

She has lived in this vicinity her entire life except six years that she and her husband lived in Newaygo County, Mich. She united with the church at Coburn's Corners 48 years ago. She remembered Christ's words when He said, "I am the resurrection and the life." She has lived a faithful Christian life, the interest of the church being her first thought.

The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Coburntown church at 2 o'clock. Rev. Fred L. Thomas preached the funeral sermon. Burial was under the direction of Beams & Baker.

9. ALBERT MARTIN ALTON (Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 27 DEC 1844 Ind. d. 16 APR 1929 East Lansing, Mich. Ae 79y 3m 19d s. of Lorenzo D. Alton and Aurelia C. Netterfield m/l 1 DEC 1864/1865 at Coburn's Corners, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Cyrus Alton, min. to Mary Adelia (Addie) Dermott b. 8 OCT 1844 Ind. d. 23 AUG 1905 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. Ae 60y 10m 15d dau. of John E. Dermott and Ann Coburn. Both Albert and Mary Adelia are bur. Maplegrove Cem., Fremont, Mich.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

+36. Anna A. b. 2 APR 1867 Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich.

+37. Dallas D. b. 15 MAR or APR 1869 Newaygo Co., Mich.

38. Gertrude E. b. OCT 1871 Newaygo Co., Mich. m. c. 1893 Prof. E. J. Martin b. MAR 1864 Mich. No issue to 1900 at which time they resided at Marlette Village in Sanilac Co., Mich. and he was a school superintendent.
39. Benjamin F. (Bennie) b. c.1873 Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 15 MAR 1880 Ae 7y 5m 4d Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. (scarlet fever).
40. Joseph J. (Josie) d. 18 AUG 1879 Ae 2y 5m Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
41. Brittie M. b. MAY 1883 Newaygo Co., Mich. m. J. Frank Birdsall and resided at Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Wednesday, September 13, 1905

Mrs. Mary Adelia Alton, nee Dermott, departed this life August 23rd, 1905 at Fremont, aged 60 years, 10 months and fifteen days.

On December 1, 1865, she was married to Albert M. Alton at Coburn's Corners, DeKalb County, Ind., after which they moved to Bailey, Muskegon Co., Michigan. Following a brief residence at that place they came to Fremont, where for the past 38 years she with her family has resided.

Her life has been one of kindly ministrations and devotion to her family, friends and to the Church of Christ of which she was an honored charter member. She was dearly beloved by all who knew her. In her demise Fremont loses one of its most respected residents and her family a devoted wife and mother. She leaves a husband, Albert M. Alton, so well and favorably known, three daughters, Mrs. Anna A. Darling, wife of Duane D. Darling of Fremont, Mrs. Gertrude E. Martin, wife of Prof. E. J. Martin of Detroit, and Mrs. Brittie M. Birdsall, wife of J. Frank Birdsall of Hart, also one son, Dallas D. Alton, of Fremont, three sisters, three brothers and six grandchildren to mourn their loss. Two boys, Josie and Bennie, in their childhood preceded her to the home beyond.

The last services were performed at the home near Fremont, August 26th, conducted by Elder Chas. W. Gardner of South Haven, assisted by L. E. Brink. She was fully conscious of her passing away and her beautiful faith in Christ never wavered. In her last hours her heart was employed in brightening the pathway of others and in sending flowers and words of comfort to those of the community who were suffering on beds of sickness. As the members of the family cared for her during her long illness so they did after her departure, performing out her final requests. The body was prepared for burial by her daughters, while the four sons bore it to its final resting place.

She was not one who naturally looked on the dark side of life, but on the contrary, left to those about her the sweet remembrance of a calm, peaceful soul who saw through the darkest cloud its silver lining, and whose firm belief was that "all things work together for good to those that love God."

On 15 MAY 1907, Albert Alton m/2 his cousin Candace Cordelia King b. 19 NOV 1852 Ind. d. 19 NOV 1931 dau. of Alonzo King and Marilla Alton. She had m/1 Ashur Marion Dermott who deceased 31 DEC 1902 and by whom she had three sons. It is reported that the Dermott children were mean to their stepfather and as a result this marriage was soon dissolved, he remaining in Newaygo Co., Mich. while she returned to DeKalb Co., Indiana.

Albert Martin Alton m/3 on 24 DEC 1914 Mrs. Emma (nee Vincent) Clancy of Lexington, Michigan. She is believed to have survived him but nothing further is known about her.

It is thought that Albert resided for a time at Bronson in Branch Co., Michigan before establishing residence at East Lansing, Michigan where he deceased.

Obituary: Fremont Times Indicator; April 24, 1924

Albert Martin Alton was born in DeKalb County, Indiana, December 27, 1844, and passed away at his home in East Lansing April 16, 1924, at the age of 79 years, three months and 19 days.

On December 1, 1864, he was united in marriage to Mary Odealia Dermott who died at their home in Fremont August 23, 1905. To this union six children were born, namely, Mrs. Anna A. Darling and Dallas D. Alton of Fremont; Gertrude E. Martin of St. Johns, Mich., and Brittie M. Birdsall of Holcomb, N. Y., who survive him. Two sons, Joseph J. and Benjamin F., died in infancy.

At the age of 17 years Mr. Alton enlisted in the Civil War service in Fort Wayne, Ind., May 28, 1862, where he joined Co. E of the 55th Vol. Regiment of Indiana for a period of three months, and was discharged August 28, 1862. During this service his company was pursuing Morgan through Kentucky, ending in the battle of Richmond. On July, 1863, he re-enlisted in Indianapolis for a period of eight months, in Co. D, 118 Reg. Indiana Vol. Infantry where he was made corporal and later color corporal of his company. He was discharged from the service March 3, 1864.

Mr. Alton had been a resident of Newaygo county for about forty years and was one of the founders of the Church of Christ in this city. He was a man of high ideals and sterling character who found joy in service to others and to the church of which he was a devoted member.

On December 24, 1914, he was united in marriage to Mrs. Emma Clancy of Lexington, Michigan.

Funeral services were held at the home in East Lansing under the auspices of the Lansing G. A. R. of which he was a member. The body was brought here last Tuesday and a short service was held at the home of D. D. Alton Friday afternoon conducted by Rev. Frederick Peggs. Interment was in Maple Grove Cemetery.

12. SAMANTHA LUCRETIA ALTON (Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 1844 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1913 dau. of Benjamin Alton Jr. and Sarah Coburn m. 7 AUG 1862 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Hadsell to Daniel Myron (Morris) Faunce b. 15 MAR 1840 Cortland, Trumbull Co., Ohio d. 29 APR 1910 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Alden Faunce Jr. and Lucretia Coburn.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

+42. William Ulysses b. 5 APR 1864.

+43. Flora Lucretia b. 6 AUG 1870 d. 22 DEC 1942.

+44. Benjamin A. b. 3 MAR 1874.

45. Daisy b. 17 MAR 1877 Burt Lake, Mich. d. there 2 DEC 1877.



Mariah Cassidania Alton (#8)



Samantha Lucretia Alton (#12) &
husb. Daniel M. Faunce

Daniel Faunce served in the Civil War and afterward took up a soldiers claim near Burt Lake in Newaygo Co., Mich. where he was a farmer in occupation. He mustered in 3 OCT 1864 in Co. A 13th Inf. and mustered out 5 SEP 1865.

Daniel was a seventh generation descendant of the immigrant John Faunce. A genealogy of the Faunce line published in 1967 by James Freer Faunce traces this line under the title, "JOHN FAUNCE OF THE PLYMOUTH COLONY AND HIS DESCENDANTS." From this source, we learn that John Faunce, probably of Purleigh, county Essex, in England came to Plymouth, Mass. on the ship "Anne" in July, 1623 where he died 29 NOV 1653. While many Faunce families in America are not known to be connected, it appears that John Faunce can be considered the progenitor of the line in this country and assuredly the ancestor of those concerning us in this volume. Much information exists about early Faunce families in England but a record of the descent has not been made; only there was a concentration in county Essex, and a family of the name lived there before the year 1600. It is said that Oliver Cromwell was nursed by Alice Faunce, and she was so kind and attentive to him that he presented her with a large portrait of himself. Also, Charles II married a Faunce. The Faunce estate was in Rochester, England and covered 600 acres. The house was built in 1020.

15. SARAH CORNELIA ALTON (Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. NOV 1853 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Benjamin Alton Jr. and Sarah Coburn m. c.1873 Homer Nichols b. NOV 1852 Ohio, his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname NICHOLS)

- 46. Lena b. NOV 1878 Mich.
- 47. Benjamin J. b. AUG 1879 Mich.
- 48. Ramon b. OCT 1822 Mich.
- 49. L.V. (m) b. JAN 1892 Mich.

(two more ch. b. and d. before 1900)

Homer Nichols was a farmer in occupation.

Family residence at Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Michigan

16. CANDACE MARILLA ALTON (Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 9 DEC 1857 Ohio (prob. nr. Hicksville, Defiance Co.) d. 17 DEC 1933 Canton, Stark Co., Ohio (presumed at the home of dau. Cecil) dau. of Benjamin Alton Jr. and Sarah Alvira Coburn m. 11 MAR 1874 Lorenzo Van Buren Davis b. 26 SEP 1854 N. Y. d. 31 MAY 1904 Oceana Co., Mich. s. of Lorenzo F. Davis and Clariss Betsey Smith. Both Lorenzo and wife Candace are bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Michigan.

Children: (Surname DAVIS)

- 50. Mame (May) b. MAY 1875 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 1941 m/1 --?-- Johnson m/2 --?-- Blue. Resided Cincinnati, Ohio
- +51. Archie Carl b. 13 JUN 1877 d. 27 DEC 1943.
- 52. Clesson J. b. OCT 1879 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 29 JUL 1943 m. Elsie who d. 1962. Resided at Manistee, Mich.

53. Benjamin b. MAY 1886 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 3 DEC 1947 m. Louise (Millie) Doelker. Resided at Chicago, Illinois.
54. Cecil (f) b. OCT 1893 d. 1952 m. Jay Wagner. Resided at Canton, Ohio.

When this family was enumerated in the 1880 census at Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Michigan, Candace's mother was living with them.

Lorenzo's occupation at the time of marriage was given as a painter and later as a carpenter.

18. MANSIE C. ALTON (Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. FEB 1875 dau. of Benjamin Alton Jr. and Sarah Alvira Coburn m. c.1892 Frank Johnson b. SEP 1867 Mich., his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname JOHNSON)

55. Pauline D. b. AUG 1893 Mich.
56. Danna M. b. AUG 1896 Mich.

Frank Johnson was a traveling salesman in occupation. Family residence at Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Michigan.

In the 1900 census, Mansie's mother was enumerated as living with this family.

19. LILLIAN L. ALTON (Mark, Benjamin Alton) b. 13 JUL 1858 Ohio (prob. nr. Hicksville, Defiance Co.) dau. of Mark Alton and Lorinda White m. 23 OCT 1875 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. to Seymour E. Doud b. 13 JUL 1854 Trumbull Co., Ohio s. of John A. Doud and Amanda Silliman.

Children: (Surname DOUD)

57. Ernest L.
58. Eugene A. b. FEB 1878 Mich.
59. Bernice A. b. AUG 1880 Mich.
60. Iva b. JUN 1884 Mich.
61. Edwin b. MAR 1888 Mich.

An Ernest "Dowd" b. JUL 1874 Mich. was enum. in 1900 as a servant with George B. Marshall at Byron Twp., Kent Co., Mich. This is presumed to be the son of Seymour and Lillian Doud.

The following appears in the 1884 publication, "PORTRAIT & BIOGRAPHICAL ALBUM OF NEWAYGO COUNTY, MICHIGAN" --

SEYMOUR E. DOUD, farmer, sec. 29, Sherman Township, is a son of John and Amanda A. (Silliman) Doud, natives of Connecticut and Massachusetts respectively, and was born in Trumbull Co., Ohio, June 13, 1854. He lived in his native State until 14 years of age, and March 3, 1869, he came to Newaygo County and purchased 80 acres of partly improved land in Sherman Township, where he now resides, and has 45 acres under tillage. He married at Lansing, Mich., Oct. 23, 1875, to Lillian L., eldest daughter of Mark and Lorinda Alton, natives of Ohio; she was born July 13, 1858.

They have three children; Ernest L., Eugene A. and Bernice A. Mr. D. has held the office of Highway Commissioner three years, and was also on the Board of Review one year. In politics he is a Republican.

21. WILLIS H. (or B.) ALTON (Mark, Benjamin Alton) b. JAN 1863 Ohio s. of Mark Alton and Lorinda White m. c.1887 to Mary A. --?-- b. MAR 1868 Mich., her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

62. William M. b. AUG 1890 Mich.

A second child was b. and d. before 1900.

Willis Alton was a cooper in occupation.

22. CANDACE CORDELIA KING (Marilla, Benjamin Alton) b. 9 NOV 1852 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 19/20 NOV 1931 Ae 79y 10d DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Alonzo King and Marilla Alton m/1 7 MAY 1871 DeKalb Co., Ind. Ashur Marion Dermott b. 23 MAR 1849 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. d. 31 DEC 1902 s. of Jacob Dermott and Phoebe Coburn. Both Marion and Candace are bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

63. Mark b. 11 JAN 1881 d. 1 OCT 1881 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

64. Cyrus Victor b. 21 SEP 1882 d. 31 OCT 1949 Ae 67 DeKalb Co., Ind.
bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. Unm.

+65. Forest K. b. 31 JAN 1885 d. 1964.

Marion Dermott relocated from Allen Co., Ind. to DeKalb Co., Ind. in 1851 when he was two years old. In occupation he always was a farmer.

Candace m/2 on 15 MAY 1907 to her cousin Albert M. Alton. This marriage was of short duration reportedly because Candace's children from her first husband were unkind to their stepfather.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, November 26, 1931

Candace Cordelia (King) Dermott, the only daughter of Alonzo and Marilla King and the granddaughter of Benjamin Alton, one of the first settlers in DeKalb County, was born in Concord Township on November 19, 1852, departed this life November 19, 1931, aged 79 years, and 10 days.

She became the wife of Marion Dermott on May 7, 1871. To this union was born three children, Mark, who died when he was one year old, Victor and Forest. Mr. Dermott departed this life on December 31, 1902.

She became a member of the church at Coburn's Corners under the preaching of Cyrus Alton on May 15, 1867 having been a member for 64 years.

The sickness which terminated in her death dated from September 26 when she fell, breaking her limb. During all her suffering she was cheerful and bore it

bravely, she seemed content with the workings of One "Who doeth all things well."

The care given by her son, Victor, in her old age has been a perfect expression of love and devotion.

She leaves to mourn her loss two sons, Victor and Forest, two grandchildren, Marion and Evelyn, and a host of friends.

The funeral was held from the home, Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock, in charge of Rev. J. O. Rose and Walter Coburn. Burial was made in the Alton Cemetery.

27. WILLIAM A. ALTON (Cyrus, Benjamin Alton) b. OCT 1874 Nebraska s. of Cyrus Alton and Sally Melvina Abel m. Edna --?--, her parentage and dates not determined.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

66. Grace b. SEP 1899 Nebraska.

Possibly more.

William Alton was a physician and also a minister. His residence and practice were at Elmwood, Nebraska except for the years around the beginning of the twentieth century when he was in charge of the Boy's Orphanage and Industrial School in Porto Rico. During this latter assignment, his father spent one year with him in Porto Rico.

It is regretted that we do not have more information about the family and work of Dr. William Alton because it appears obvious that he was a progressive and dedicated man in the mould of his father and his grandfather. The records of the Disciples Church organization had very little to offer about him.

ALTON FAMILY

GENERATION FOUR
(Coburntown Branch)

29. AMELIA ESTELLA MILLIMAN (Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 1863 Parkham, Ohio d. 3 JAN 1941 Ae 77 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of James M. Milliman and Mariah C. Alton m. 29 DEC 1885 Blair, DeKalb Co., Ind. by O. B. Jewell to Edward Willis Beaber b. 14 FEB 1867 Noble Co., Ind. d. 26 JUN 1950 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Williams Convalescent Home) s. of Nathaniel Beaber and Elizabeth Walters. Both Amelia and Willis are bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname BEABER)

+67. Iva b. c.1888 DeKalb Co., Ind.

+68. Ila O. b. c.1890 DeKalb Co., Ind.

69. Dewey b. 1898 d. 1917 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Wils Beaber, as he was commonly known, and wife Amelia were popular members of the area we term the Coburntown community as evidenced by the many items about them which appeared in the issues of the St. Joe News.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, January 9, 1941

Amelia (Milliman) Beaber was born January 4, 1863, and died January 3, 1941, having reached the age of 77 years, 11 months and 29 days. She was the first of seven children born to Mortimer and Marie Milliman, and of this family but one remains, John Milliman, of Alvordton, Ohio.

Amelia united in marriage with Edward W. Beaber December 24, 1885, and to this union one son and two daughters were born: Dewey Beaber who died in young manhood, Mrs. Iva Clouse, of Los Angeles, California, and Mrs. Ila Shilling of Auburn, Indiana.

There are also seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren in the larger family circle.

Early in life Amelia united with the Church of Christ at Coburntown where both of her parents were revered members, and where her father for a long time might well have been called church historian. She kept the faith of her church inviolate until her death.

In the local schools of her childhood Mrs. Beaber was a good student, and at Newville, where then was offered a course for teachers, she qualified for teaching but never taught.

In the several capacities of our common lives Mrs. Beaber served well; she was a good wife, a good mother, and a good neighbor. She met the ever shifting circumstances of life with perfect good humor, and contributed to the common good as richly as her limitations allowed.

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period in the year 1919, he owned a restaurant in St. Joe and in 1920 took a position with the General Electric Company in Fort Wayne, Ind.. In 1921, he returned to Michigan and farmed near Ferry in Oceana County. After a few years, he again left Michigan and took up residence at Spencerville, Indiana and resumed the occupation of barber.

The following letter is reproduced here to provide a bit of information concerning some of the conditions which prevailed at the time it was written:

Ferry, Mich.,
March 21, 1921

F. B. Leighty,

Dear Sir: I will drop you a few lines in regard to our trip. We left St. Joe, March 9th, at 2:00 P.M., on Local to Garrett, left Garrett 6:20 for Wellsboro, landed there at 10 P.M., laid over there until next day at 10 A.M., out on local all day making 22 miles to New Buffalo, laid there until 9 that night, landed in Waverly the next morning, Friday, left there 2 P.M. for Muskegon and landed there at 6 P.M., laid over there from Friday night until Monday got to Shelby 4 P.M., Monday with rain and sleet and also to find we have \$147.01 to dig up. I think they charged by the day and kept us out as long as they could to get more money. The car cost us \$248.98, counting both ends of the route. If you hear of anyone talking of moving by rail tell them they had better have a sale and let you print the bills. It cost us \$25.00 for team and truck to get our goods to the farm as they only give two days to unload, but we are getting settled, and we started the plow Saturday. It is nice spring weather here, and my wife found May flowers, yesterday, in our woods. No mud here, all stone roads. Will close for this time. Love to all our friends around St. Joe.

G. W. Milliman

The St. Joe News reported that George W. Milliman passed away at his Spencerville home following a stroke. He had been in poor health for some time suffering from sugar diabetis, high blood pressure and hardening of the arteries.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, February 10, 1938

George W. Milliman, son of J. M. and Maria (Alton) Milliman, was born February 26, 1868 in Newaygo County, Michigan. But when he was a small boy his parents moved back to the old homestead at Coburn's Corners where he grew to manhood. He became a Christian when quite young and worked in the church as long as he lived there.

He was united in marriage to Mary Elizabeth Thomas on June 21, 1896. To this union were born three children, Merritt and Lysle, both of Fort Wayne, and a boy who died in infancy.

About 1920 he moved to Michigan and remained there for some time but finally returned to Indiana and ran a barber shop in Spencerville. Although he lived in different places his home was in and around St. Joe.

A few weeks ago he took sick and was removed to the St. Joseph Hospital and then with his son, Lysle. Then he removed to the home of his brother, Clifford, where he passed away, February 1, 1938, age 69 years, 11 months and 5 days.

He leaves to mourn his departure besides his two sons, two brothers John and Clifford, one sister, Amelia Beaber, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Coburn's Corners Church, Friday afternoon, the Rev. Walter Coburn, pastor, presiding. Burial in Alton Cemetery, Roscoe Walter funeral director.

35. JOHN DOW MILLIMAN (Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 30 SEP 1882 d. 11 NOV 1942 Ae 60 Alvorton, Williams Co., Ohio s. of James M. Milliman and Mariah C. Alton m. 19 OCT 1907 Eva Pearl Whitcomb b. 1889 d. 29 JUL 1968 Ae 78 Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio dau. of Joseph Whitcomb and Edna Draggoo. Both John and Eva are bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

- +72. Dorothy Marie b. 14 OCT 1908 d. 12 FEB 1970.
- +73. Harold Ellsworth b. 10 JUN 1910 d. 28 DEC 1984.
- +74. Edna Isabel b. 29 JUN 1916.
- +75. John H. (Jack) b. 3 JUL 1931.

In 1905, John D. Milliman was employed as night assistant in the ticket office of the B & O railroad at Garrett, Indiana. However, by 1907, he had started to work for the Wabash Railroad as a telegraph operator and was stationed near Montpelier, Ohio. The remainder of his working life was spent with this latter firm, holding long-term assignments at Butler, Ind. and later at Okolona, Ohio.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, November 19, 1942

John D. Milliman, 59, of Alvordton, Ohio, Wabash railroad agent, and former boy of two miles east of St. Joe, was buried in Alton Cemetery Sunday afternoon, following an illness of since August. We learned that John was about again and feeling quite improved, but a heart attack late last week was attributed as the cause of his death.

He leaves a wife, one son, Harold, of Napoleon, Ohio, two daughters Dorothy of Minnesota, and Edna. He was the last of the J. M. Milliman family who were pioneer residents of the Coburntown community.

John recieved his education in the St. Joe schools, and learned telegraphy here at the Wabash depot, and when able to take work had been employed by the Wabash Railroad Co.

Funeral services were held at Alvordton with burial in the Alton Cemetery Sunday afternoon.

36. ANNA A. ALTON (Albert M., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 2 APR 1867 Ashland Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. m. c.1889 Duane Dale Darling b. 22 SEP 1867 Schuyler Co., N.Y. s. of Henry Darling and Lydia J. Upton. Dale, as he was commonly known, died

6 JUN 1916 and is bur. Maple Grove Cem., Fremont, Newaygo Co., Michigan.

Children: (Surname DARLING)

76. Aletha G. b. JUL 1891 Mich.

77. Clenna B. b. OCT 1895 Mich.

78. Dallas L. b. APR 1899 Mich.

Duane Darling's occupation in 1900 was given as drayman.

Anna A. Alton was a daughter of Albert M. Alton and Mary Adelia Dermott.

37. DALLAS D. ALTON (Albert M., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 15 MAR or APR 1869 Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 1947 s. of Albert M. Alton and Mary Adelia Dermott m. prob. c.1890 Sadie Baker b. OCT 1869 Mich. d. 1936, her parentage not determined. Both Dallas and Sadie are bur. at Newaygo Co., Mich.

Children: (Surname ALTON)

79. Helen b. 13 DEC 1892 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

80. Darrell b. 23/24 JUL 1894 Dayton Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 24 NOV 1960 bur. Maple Grove Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich.

In occupation, Dallas Alton was a druggist in 1900 at Pentwater Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. and later became president of a bank at Fremont, Newaygo Co., Michigan.

42. WILLIAM ULYSSES FAUNCE (Samantha L., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 5 APR 1864 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 22 SEP 1936 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich. s. of Daniel M. Faunce and Samantha L. Alton m. 21 MAR 1886 Fremont, Mich. Mary Isabell Davis b. 23 MAY 1867 Ind. d. 24 DEC 1934 Petoskey, Mich., her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

81. Faith Evelyn b. 12 DEC 1887 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. m. 26 OCT 1906 Sheldon Cole.

+82. Hope Ethelyn b. 7 AUG 1889 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. d. 19 APR 1940.

+83. Verald Daniel b. 8 OCT 1894 d. 6 FEB 1959.

84. Izetta R. b. 2 DEC 1896 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. m. 11 SEP 1922 Frank S. Jacobs.

85. Donald Benjamin b. 21 JUN 1903 Burt Lake, Cheboygan Co., Mich. d. 4 JUL 1961 m. 6 JUN 1948 Helen L. --?--.

+86. Roland Cleo b. 29 AUG 1905.

+87. Lyle Raymond b. 19 OCT 1908.

In occupation, William Faunce was a carpenter and storekeeper. The final place of residence of this family was Petoskey, Michigan.

43. FLORA LUCRETIA FAUNCE (Samantha L., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 6 AUG 1870 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 22 DEC 1942 Jackson, Jackson Co., Mich. dau. of Daniel M. Faunce and Samantha L. Alton m. 13 FEB 1895 Fremont, Mich. to Arthur Herbert Freyer b. 19 JUN 1866 Barry Co., Mich., his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname FREYER)

88. Brittie (f)

No further information is known about this family.

44. BENJAMIN ALDEN FAUNCE (Samantha L., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton b. 3 MAR 1874 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 25 SEP 1941 East Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. s. of Daniel M. Faunce and Samantha L. Alton m. 20 APR 1898 Edon, Defiance Co., Ohio by Rev. L. O. Newcomer to Blanche L. Weldon b. 8 OCT 1872 d. 14 APR 1956 East Lansing, Mich., her parentage not determined. Benjamin and Blanche Faunce are bur. Evergreen Cem., East Lansing, Mich.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

89. Cora b. and d. 30 JUN 1899 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

90. Cecila b. 26 APR 1903 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. m. Ralph N. Wright.

91. Norma b. 24 MAR 1909 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich. m. Albert Ray Krider, Jr.

Benjamin Alden Faunce was employed as a clerk at Michigan Agriculture College for 18 years and served two years as postmanster at East Lansing, Mich. He also served as city clerk and as mayor at East Lansing, Mich.

51. ARCHIE CARL DAVIS (Candace M., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 13 JUN 1877 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 27 DEC 1943 Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. s. of Lorenzo Van Buren Davis and Candace Marilla Alton m. 20 JAN 1898 Fremont, Mich. to Katherine H. Marie Holm b. 8 JUL 1879 Copenhagen, Denmark d. 4 DEC 1954 Manistee, Mich. dau. of Frederick Soren Holm and Marie Johansen. Both Archie and Katherine are bur. at Oak Grove Cem., Manistee, Mich.

Children: (Surname DAVIS)

92. Pearl b. 18 JAN 1902 Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 26 JUL 1968 m/1 Ray Bond and m/2 Ray Ferguson. Resided at Manistee, Mich.

93. Garnet b. 18 JAN 1902 Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 26 SEP 1967 m. Cash Bond (a cousin of Ray Bond who married sister Pearl). Resided at Pontiac, Mich.

+94. Benjiman Richard b. 4 NOV 1903 Manistee, Mich. d. 24 FEB 1939.

95. Ellamae b. 16 APR 1914 Lomax, Henderson Co., Ill. m. Gordon Bauman. Resided at Manistee, Mich.

96. John (Van) b. 7 JUL 1898 Onkama, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 7 SEP 1899.

65. FOREST K. DERMOTT (Candace C. King, Marilla, Benjamin Alton) b. 31 JAN 1885 Ind., d. 17 APR 1964 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of A. Marion Dermott and Candace C. King m. 16 OCT 1909 and divd. c.1931 Hazel M. Smurr b. 14 JUN 1890 d. 30 MAY 1958 dau. of John V. Smurr and Cora A. Yates.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

+97. Marion b. 29 SEP 1912 d. 25 JUN 1967.

+98. Evelyn Fay b. 19 FEB 1919.

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William A. Alton (#27)



Geneva (Jenny) Alton (#24)

ALTON FAMILY

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(Coburntown Branch)

67. Iva Beaber (Amelia E. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. c.1888 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Edward Willis Beaber and Amelia Estella Milliman m. Clayton Clouse, his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname CLOUSE)

99. dau. b. JAN 1912 N. Dak.

In 1926, this family resided at Los Angeles, California and in 1950 at the time Iva's father deceased, their address was Cumberland, Wisconsin.

68. Ila O. Beaber (Amelia E. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. c.1890 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Edward Willis Beaber and Amelia Estella Milliman m/1 10 APR 1909 DeKalb Co., Ind. by J. A. Brown at the home of her parents and divd. Grover Ward b. c.1887 Blakeslee, Williams Co., Ohio s. of George Ward and Mary Jones.

Children: (Surname WARD)

100. Fern b. 20 OCT 1910 DeKalb Co., Ind.

Residence of this family was at Garrett, Indiana.

Ila m/2 as his second wife on 16 MAR 1914 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. J. A. Brown to Cecil G. Shilling b. c.1880 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Josephus R. Shilling and Alice J. Grill.

Children: (Surname SHILLING)

101. Paul DuWayne b. 22 DEC 1914 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 20 NOV 1937 Irene Nellie Rowe b. 3 APR 1916 Sedan, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Elza Rowe and Nellie Casselman.

A second child died before 1920.

Cecil Shilling was a farmer in occupation near St. Joe, Ind.

Ila m/3 some time after 1941 to --?-- Davis and was residing at Fremont, Steuben Co., Ind. in 1950 when her father deceased.

70. Merrit Thomas Milliman (George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 21 JUN 1898 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 16 FEB 1973 Marion, Grant Co., Ind. (V.A. Hospital) s. of George W. Milliman and Mary E. Thomas m/1 28 JUL 1923 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. and divd. c.1933 Hazel Lucille Finney b. 10 SEP 1903 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Henry Finney and Ada Hamilton.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

+102. Paul Edwin b. 11 JUL 1925.

+103. Donna Jean b. 24 JAN 1928.

Following their parents' divorce, Donna Jean remained with her mother and Paul Edwin resided with the family of his uncle Lysle. The divorce occurred in AUG 1933.

Lucille m/2 19 NOV 1936 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Walter F. E. Nagel b. 28 MAY 1909 Fort Wayne, Ind. (his first marriage) s. of M. F. Nagel and Charlotte Sauerwien.

Merrit Milliman m/2 c.1943 Florence E. Feichter b. c.1899 Allen Co., Ind. d. 22 DEC 1981 Fort Wayne, Ind. bur. Covington Gardens Cem., Fort Wayne, Ind. No issue of this marriage. Her parents were Charles Feichter and Martha Millage.

Florence had m/1 Fred Larson who deceased. There children were:

- (1) Wanda m. Franklin Ross.
- (2) Betty m. Robert Poitras.
- (3) Jean m. Charles Weilbaker.

In occupation, Merrit Milliman was employed as an inspector, first by S. F. Bowser & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind. and later by International Harvester Co. in their motor truck manufacturing plant of the same city. He served in the military in WWI.

71. LYSLE JAMES MILLIMAN (George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 1903 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 17 AUG 1942 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of George W. Milliman and Mary E. Thomas m. c.1925 Myrtle Olive (Ollie) Beachum b. 7 APR 1902 Ferry, Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of Marsena Beachum and Anna Collar.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

+104. Norma Jean b. 30 OCT 1926.

Family residence was located at Fort Wayne, Ind. and Lysle was employed in the gear department of the International Harvester truck manufacturing plant in Fort Wayne, Ind. After his decease, Myrtle and daughter resided in New Haven, Ind.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, August 20, 1942

Lysle Milliman, 39, 3906 Eastway Drive, Fort Wayne, a gear inspector at the International Harvester plant, died at 9:50 P.M. Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital following a month's illness. He was born in Fremont, Mich., and lived in Fort Wayne for the past 15 years. He also lived in St. Joe where his father was engaged in the barber business. He was a member of the Moose Lodge, 10-Year Club at International Harvester, and the International Union of United Auto Workers Local No. 57. He served as a civil defense warden in Section J.

Surviving are the widow, Myrtle; a daughter, Norma Jean, at home; and a brother, Merrit, Fort Wayne. The body was removed to the Klaehn & Sons Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be held at 2 P.M. Thursday at the funeral home, but the place of burial has not been announced. Additional survivors are a niece, Donna Jean Milliman, and a nephew, Paul Edwin Milliman.

72. DOROTHY MARIE MILLIMAN (John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 14 OCT 1908 Blakeslee, Williams Co., Ohio d. 12 FEB 1970 Bradenton, Manatee Co., Florida bur. Fountain Lutheran Church Cem., Elroy, Wisc. dau. of John D. Milliman and Eva P. Whitcomb m/1 2 FEB 1925 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Thos. C. Ford, J.P. to John A. Walls b. c.1902 Troy Groves, Ill. s. of John C. Walls and June Stone. Nothing further is known about this marriage.

Dorothy m/2 27 NOV 1928 Fountain Lutheran Church parsonage, Elroy, Wisc. to Theodore (Ted) Paulson b. 23 JUL 1903 Kendall, Monroe Co., Wisc. s. of Nels Paulson and Sarah Lee.

Children: (Surname PAULSON)

+105. (AD) Robert Eugene b. 7 SEP 1931 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind.

In occupation, Ted Paulson was manager of a Farm Union Co-op. He resides at Bradenton, Florida.

73. HAROLD ELLSWORTH MILLIMAN (John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 10 JUN 1910 Blakeslee, Williams Co., Ohio d. 28 DEC 1984 Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio (hospital - pneumonia) s. of John D. Milliman and Eva Pearl Whitcomb m. 21 JAN 1933 Decatur, Decatur Co., Ind. to Ruth Leona Willeman b. 28 AUG 1910 Ridgeville Corners, Henry Co., Ohio dau. of Sherman Willeman and Alice Relue. Harold and Ruth were married before the date stated but it was not recorded and they had a second ceremony to legalize the marriage.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

+106. Robert Wayne b. 30 JUN 1933.

+107. Doris Mae b. 31 OCT 1935.

+108. Alan Eugene (Toad) b. 23 MAR 1942.

+109. Shirley Ann b. 12 JUN 1950.

Harold served during WWII in the U. S. Army (1943-1945) in the Signal Corps; 19 months of this time in the European Theatre. He attained the rank of T-4 (Technical Sgt.).

In occupation, Harold Milliman was employed 14 years by the Wabash Railroad as a signal installer and he also worked 30 years for United Telephone Co. of Ohio in equipment maintenance until his retirement 1 JUL 1975.

During the summer of 1981, he underwent open-heart surgery and a quadruple bypass procedure, from which he never completely recovered.

The principal place of residence of this family was at Napoleon, Ohio where Ruth continues to reside in the family home.

74. EDNA ISABEL MILLIMAN (John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 29 JUN 1916 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John D. Milliman and Eva P. Whitcomb m. 19 OCT 1933 West Unity, Williams Co., Ohio (Methodist parsonage) to Hilmer Halverson b. 28 OCT 1911 Kendall, Monroe Co., Wisc. s. of Halvor E. Halverson and Bertha Halverson.

Children: (Surname HALVERSON)

- +110. Aleda Elizabeth b. 20 JAN 1935.
- +111. Richard Arnold b. 22 JAN 1937.
- +112. Marcella Mae b. 21 JUL 1939.
- +113. Sonia Marie b. 1 FEB 1942.
- +114. Marian Louise b. 12 APR 1945.
- +115. John Howard b. 24 JUL 1950.
- +116. Charles Wayne b. 22 JUL 1954.

Hilmer Halverson is employed as a grinder operator by Walker Stainless Steel of New Lisbon, Wisconsin where the family resides.

75. JOHN HERSCHEL (JACK) MILLIMAN (John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 7 JUL 1931 Okolona, Henry Co., Ohio s. of John D. Milliman and Eva P. Whitcomb m. 7 JUN 1952 Stryker, Williams Co., Ohio (Pine Grove Mennonite Church) to Arlene Jean Stuckey b. 26 FEB 1931 Stryker, Ohio dau. of Daniel B. Stuckey and Velma Irene Christner.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

- +117. Pamela b. 29 JUN 1953.

Jack Milliman owns and operates an automatic transmission repair business in Cincinnati, Ohio where the family also resides.

82. HOPE ETHELYN FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Samantha L., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 7 AUG 1889 Burt Lake, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 19 APR 1940 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich. dau. of William U. Faunce and Mary Isabell Davis m. 25 NOV 1920 Richard Robinson, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ROBINSON)

- 118. Richard Jr.

Richard Robinson was an uncle to Marion Phetteplace who married Don C. Wade, the Wade descendants being reported elsewhere in these volumes as emanating from the early settler families of Coburntown in DeKalb Co., Ind.

83. VERALD DANIEL FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Samantha L., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 8 OCT 1894 Burt Lake, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 6 FEB 1959 Detroit, Mich. s. of William U. Faunce and Mary Isabell Davis m. 11 JUL 1917 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. to Marie Coveyou, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 119. Mary Isabel b. 2 NOV 1919 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich.
- 120. Richard b. 31 JAN 1930 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich.

Nothing further is known about this family.

86. ROLAND CLEO FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Samantha L., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 29 AUG 1905 Burt Lake, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of William U. Faunce and Mary Isabell Davis m. 19 JUN 1925 Watervliet, Berrien Co., Mich. to May Edrie Updenkelder, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 121. William Alden b. 2 MAY 1928 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich. m. 19 JUN 1954 Sheila Maule.
- 122. Phyllis Elaine b. 19 MAY 1935 Big Rapids, Mecosta Co., Mich.
- 123. Thomas Leroy b. 24 MAY 1940 Big Rapids, Mecosta Co., Mich.

Until his retirement in 1975 or 1976, Roland Faunce was an educator and had completed his Doctorate studies. For some period of years, he was Professor of Education at Wayne University in Detroit, Michigan.

Roland Faunce maintained close contact with his cousin Don C. Wade, also an educator, who is reported elsewhere in these volumes.

87. LYLE RAYMOND FAUNCE (William U. Faunce, Samantha L., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 19 OCT 1908 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich. s. of William U. Faunce and Isabell Davis m. 14 OCT 1930 Petoskey, Mich. to Dorothy May Crouterfield, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FAUNCE)

- 124. James Leroy b. 25 MAR 1932 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich.
- 125. Janice Ann b. 10 NOV 1946 Petoskey, Emmett Co., Mich.

Nothing more is known about this family.

94. BENJIMAN RICHARD DAVIS (Archie Carl Davis, Candace M., Benjamin Jr., Benjamin Alton) b. 4 NOV 1903 Bear Lake, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 24 FEB 1939 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. s. of Archie Carl Davis and Katherine H. Holm m. 9 MAY 1925 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. Helena Charlotte Knight b. 30 SEP 1904 Bendon, Mich. dau. of Fred Horace Knight and May Helena Murrell.

Children: (Surname DAVIS)

- 126. Carl Richard b. 20 DEC 1925 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. m/1 Mona Herr, M/2 Shirley --?--
- 127. Coralee May b. 21 DEC 1929 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. m. Charles Herbert Boice.

128. Norman Fred b. 5 JUL 1928, Manistee, Manistee Co., Mich. d. 28 JUL 1929.
129. Norman Fred b. 17 AUG 1933 Pontiac, Oakland Co., Mich. m. 24 JAN 1953
Jeweldene Chaffin. Residence at Santee, California. He is the
owner of a microfilm manufacturing firm there.

Benjiman Richard Davis is bur. at White Chapel Cem., Birmingham, Michigan.

97. MARION DERMOTT (Forest K. Dermott, Candace C. King, Marilla, Benjamin Alton)
b. 29 SEP 1912 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 25 JUN 1967 s. of Forest K. Dermott and Hazel
M. Smurr m. 30 AUG 1952 Alberta Maryann Cain b. 29 AUG 1923 Renssalaer, Jasper Co.,
Ind. dau. of Thomas Charles Cain and Gertrude Elizabeth Greiser. Marion is bur.
Mt. Calvary Catholic Cem., Renssalaer, Ind.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

+130. Victor Forest b. 28 JUN 1953.

131. Terence Patrick b. 25 JUN 1956 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart
Hospital). Unm. Attended St. Joseph College grad. B.S. Degree in
History and Philosophy and continued his education at the University
of Cincinnati Law School and passed his bar examination in 1981. In
1984, he was serving in the USAF as an attorney.

Marion was a farmer and resided near Newville, Ind. where Alverta continues to make
her home. She is employed at the Rieke manufacturing plant in Auburn, Indiana.

98. EVELYN FAYE DERMOTT (Forest K. Dermott, Candace C. King, Marilla, Benjamin
Alton) b. 19 FEB 1919 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Forest K. Dermott and Hazel M. Smurr
m. 22 OCT 1937 Marion, Marion Co., Ohio to Robert Murphy b. 15 MAR 1915 Antwerp,
Paulding Co., Ohio s. of Claran Murphy and Hazel Reeb.

Children: (Surname MURPHY)

+132. Marjorie Louise b. 10 FEB 1939.

+133. Marilyn Ann b. 5 SEP 1945.

Robert Murphy's principal occupation until his retirement in 1983 was as serviceman
employed by a long-standing General Motors automobile dealership at Antwerp, Ohio.
Naturally industrious, Robert also worked part-time for area farmers during periods
when additional farm help might be needed.

Residence at Antwerp, Ohio

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102. PAUL EDWIN MILLIMAN SR. (Merrit T. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 11 JUL 1925 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., (Methodist Hosp.) s. of Merrit T. Milliman and Hazel Lucille Finney m. 31 DEC 1945 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Gospel Temple) to Ruth Bastian b. 31 DEC 1926 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Theodore Bastian and Frieda Thielmann.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

- +134. Paul Edwin Jr. b. 9 AUG 1950.
- +135. Cheryl Ruth b. 8 JUL 1951
- 136. Kevin Lyle b. 12 SEP 1956. Unm. Supv. Brock Mfg. Co., Milford, Ind.
- 137. James Allen b. 10 MAY 1960 m. 20 DEC 1980 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind.
to Elizabeth Ann French.
- 138. Gregory Kent b. 24 FEB 1963.

Paul Milliman Sr. attended Bob Jones University at Greenville, S. C. grad. BA Degree in Music Education and then continued his education at Indiana Univ., Bloomington, Ind. grad. MA Degree in Music. Formerly band director of the high school at New Haven, Ind. which was followed by a period as director of music at Grace College, Winona Lake, Ind., and later as band director of the Northwood High School at Nappanee, Ind.

Family residence is located at Warsaw, Indiana.

103. DONNA JEAN MILLIMAN (Merrit T. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 24 JAN 1928 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Merrit T. Milliman and Hazel Lucille Finney m. 12 AUG 1949 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Volie E. Pyles b. 29 MAY 1929 Latham, Logan Co., Ill. s. of Volie Edwin Pyles and Sylvia Lucile Buckles.

Children: (Surname PYLES)

- +139. Rebecca Lucile b. 18 MAY 1950.
- +140. David Thomas b. 6 NOV 1951.
- 141. Stephen Kent b. 5 JUL 1953 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Lutheran Hosp.)
- +142. Debra Kay b. 1 OCT 1954.
- 143. John Walter b. 28 SEP 1956 Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind. Unm.
Res. OCT 1981 at Woodland Park, CO.
- 144. Volie Christian b. 29 MAY 1958 Almont, Lapeer Co., Mich. Unm. Res.
OCT 1981 Woodland Park, CO.
- 145. Robert Lucas (Bud) b. 20 NOV 1964 Fall River, Bristol Co., Mass.
Unm. OCT 1981.

In occupation, Volie E. Pyles is a minister. However, in OCT 1981 he was attending the University of Illinois as a PHD candidate and also was employed by the University as a teacher's assistant. Donna Jean Pyles operates the Phyles Bible & Bookstore at Champaign, Illinois.

Family residence at Champaign, Illinois.

104. NORMA JEAN MILLIMAN (Lysle J. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 30 OCT 1926 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Lysle James Milliman and Myrtle O. Beachum m/1 25 MAR 1944 Allen Co., Ind. by T. M. Tucker, min. and divd. Richard Gail Schlup b. 8 FEB 1925 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Arthur Schlup and Martha Mae Marquart.

Children: (Surname SCHLUP)

146. Rick Arthur b. 19 NOV 1944 (changed his surname to KNEISLEY after his mother's second marriage). He m. Judith Ann Smith.

Norma Jean m/2 Clyde D. Kneisley who deceased.

Children: (Surname KNEISLEY)

147. Rex b. c.1963.

148. Russell b. c.1965.

Following the death of her second husband, Norma Jean m/3 Richard Brase and resides at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Richard Brase is a self-employed dealer in motorcycle parts and accessories selling to outlets in Indiana and Michigan. Norma Brase is employed by L. S. Ayres Co. at Glenbrook Mall in Fort Wayne, Ind.

105. ROBERT EUGENE PAULSON (Dorothy M. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 7 SEP 1931 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Theodore Paulson and Dorothy M. Milliman m. 24 JUN 1956 Brillion, Calumet Co., Wisc. to Nan-
cee Ann Barnard b. 26 SEP 1932 Sheboygan, Sheboygan Co., Wisc. dau. of Karl S. Barnard and Anita Piepkorn.

Children: (Surname PAULSON)

149. Forrest Robert b. 27 FEB 1958 Darlington, Lafayette Co., Wisc. He attended the University of Richmond grad. 1981 BA Degree in Psychology and Sociology.

Robert E. Paulson attended St. Olaf College grad. 1955 BA Degree and also attended Northern Michigan University grad. 1968 MA Degree, majoring in Physical Education. In occupation, he is a school teacher. He served two years in the U.S. Army.

Nancy Paulson attended Baptist Memorial College at Houston, Texas grad. 1955 with RN Degree in Nursing.

Family residence at Sarasota, Florida.

106. ROBERT WAYNE MILLIMAN (Harold O. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 30 JUN 1933 Adams Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Harold E. Milliman and Ruth L. Willeman m. 25 JUN 1960 Napoleon, Henry Co., Ohio and divd. 13 JAN 1971 Connie Lou Conklin b. 4 JAN 1941 Richfield Twp., Henry Co., Ohio dau. of Horton Conklin and Elsie Wallace.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

- 150. Robert Wayne Jr. b. 4 MAY 1961.
- 151. Kitty b. 18 MAY 1962 m. Mark Kinder.
- 152. Matthew b. 30 AUG 1964.
- 153. Patty b. 30 MAR 1966

Robert W. Milliman is employed by Fulton Tubing Co. of Archibold, Ohio.

107. DORIS MAE (DEE) MILLIMAN (Harold O. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 31 OCT 1935 dau. of Harold O. Milliman and Ruth L. Willeman m. 10 JUN 1956 Robert Weimken b. 20 APR 1933 rural Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Fred Henry Weimken and Lena Tina --?--.

Children: (Surname WEIMKEN)

- 154. Cindy b. 29 APR 1957 m. 28 JUN 1975 and divd. 3 APR 1981 Russell Hess b. 7 AUG 1955 s. of Robert Hess and Voleta --?--. No issue.
- +155. Janet b. 20 MAR 1959.
- 156. Tom b. 17 FEB 1964.

Robert Weimken served in the USAF 4 MAR 1952 to 5 MAR 1956 with the rank of Airman First Class; stationed at Charleston, S.C. and San Antonio, TX. In occupation, he is a farmer.

Residence nr. Defiance, Ohio.

108. ALAN EUGENE (TOAD) MILLIMAN (Harold O. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 23 MAR 1942 s. of Harold O. Milliman and Ruth L. Willeman m. 31 DEC 1959 Jane Burkholder b. 16 SEP 1941 Wauseon, Fulton Co., Ohio dau. of Corwin Burkholder and Wilma Gladys Meier.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

- 157. Jodie b. 19 MAR 1961 Napoleon, Henry Co., Ohio. She completed two years of study at Northwestern College, St. Paul, Minn. and is employed by a law firm in Minneapolis, Minn.
- 158. Amy b. 7 JUN 1963 Napoleon, Henry Co., Ohio. Enrolled in 1981 at Eau Claire State College, Eau Claire, Wisc.

In occupation, Alan Milliman is a supervisor for Peoples Gas Co. (a utility).

Family residence at Mora, Minnesota.

109. SHIRLEY ANN MILLIMAN (Harold O. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 12 JUN 1950 dau. of Harold O. Milliman and Ruth L. Willeman m. John Wallischeck s. of Robert Wallischeck and Joan --?--.

Children: (Surname WALLISCHECK)

159. Wendy b. 7 APR 1969.

160. Shonda b. 10 AUG 1973.

John Wallischeck is a salesman in occupation. Shirley is a real estate broker.

Family residence is located at Napoleon, Ohio.

110. ALEDA ELIZABETH HALVERSON (Edna Isabel Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 20 JAN 1935 Kendall, Monroe Co., Wisc. dau. of Hilmer Halverson and Edna Isabel Milliman m. 12 NOV 1955 Hustler, Wisc. (Fountain Lutheran Church) to John A. Bailey b. 14 JUN 1933 Warrens, Monroe Co., Wisc. s. of William James Bailey and Vera Ida Schmasow.

Children: (Surname BAILEY)

161. David John b. 7 FEB 1957 Tomah, Monroe Co., Wisc. m. 11 AUG 1979 Joanne Laura Faltz.

162. Mark Richard b. 26 JUL 1960 Tomah, Monroe Co., Wisc.

163. Rebekah Joy b. 1 APR 1965 Tomah, Wisc.

John Bailey attended several technical schools in the Military. He has been employed 28 years at Volk Field and since 1978 has been an examiner for the Wisconsin Army-Air Guard. Aleda Bailey is a part-time employe of the Wisconsin Savings Association at New Lisbon, Wisc.

Family residence is located at New Lisbon, Wisc.

111. RICHARD ARNOLD HALVERSON (Edna I. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 22 JAN 1937 Kendall, Monroe Co., Wisc. s. of Hilmer Halverson and Edna Isabel Milliman m. 15 JUL 1961 New Lisbon, Wisc. (St. Lukes Evangelical Lutheran Church) to Janet Eileen Hansen b. 21 JAN 1941 New Lisbon, Juneau Co., Wisc. dau. of Albert Hansen and Emma Minnie Weiland.

Children: (Surname HALVERSON)

164. Gregory Arnold b. 12 AUG 1963 Viroqua, Vernon Co., Wisc.

165. Kevin Alan b. 25 SEP 1964 Viroqua, Vernon Co., Wisc.

166. Todd Albert b. 1 JUL 1967 Viroqua, Vernon Co., Wisc.

Richard Halverson is employed as loan officer by the First National Bank of Neillesville, Wisconsin.

Place of residence is Neillesville, Wisc.

112. MARCELLA MAE HALVERSON (Edna I. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 21 JUL 1939 Jump River, Wisc. dau. of Hilmer Halverson and Edna Isabel Milliman m. 14 DEC 1963 Hustler, Wisc. (Fountain Lutheran Church) to Ronald Lauden b. 25 JAN 1937 Hustler, Juneau Co., Wisc. s. of William Carl Lauden and Selma Leone Lawrence.

Children: (Surname LAUDEN)

- 167. Kristine Kay b. 16 OCT 1964 Tomah, Monroe Co., Wisc. (Tomah Mem. Hospital).
- 168. Kurt William b. 13 JUN 1966 Tomah, Monroe Co., Wisc. (Tomah Mem. Hospital).
- 169. Karla Sue b. 13 JUN 1969 Mauston, Juneau Co., Wisc. (Hess Mem. Hospital).

Ronald Lauden attended University of Stevens Point, Wisc. grad. 1958 BS Degree in Biology and Conservation. He is self-employed as owner of Ron's Standard Service Station and owner of K & K Motel at Camp Douglas, Wisc. Marcella Lauden is employed part-time as a secretary.

This family resides at New Lisbon, Wisconsin.

113. SONIA MARIE HALVERSON (Edna I. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 1 FEB 1942 Kendall, Monroe Co., Wisc. dau. of Hilmer Halverson and Edna Isabel Milliman m. 26 NOV 1960 Elroy, Juneau Co., Wisc. (Catholic parsonage) to Charles T. Murphy b. 17 JUL 1938 Elroy, Wisc. s. of Hugh William Murphy and Agnes C. Murphy.

Children: (Surname MURPHY)

- 170. Cynthia Ann b. 22 FEB 1961 Tomah, Monroe Co., Wisc.
- 171. Robert Charles b. 8 SEP 1962 Mauston, Juneau Co., Wisc.
- 172. Michael Thomas b. 20 JUN 1965 Hillsboro, Vernon Co., Wisc.

In occupation, Charles Murphy is a farmer. Residence at Kendall, Wisconsin.

114. MARIAN LOUISE HALVERSON (Edna I. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 12 APR 1945 Kendall, Monroe Co., Wisc. dau. of Hilmer Halverson and Edna Isabel Milliman m. 21 SEP 1963 Hustler, Juneau Co., Wisc. (Fountain Lutheran Church) to Richard Roy Preuss b. 24 FEB 1943 Elroy, Juneau Co., Wisc. s. of Roy Richard Preuss and Leona Lenora Martalock.

Children: (Surname PREUSS)

- 173. Dawn Marie b. 28 AUG 1964 Mauston, Juneau Co., Wisc.

Richard Preuss is employed as a service representative for Walker Stainless Steel, Tavares, Florida. Marian is employed by K-Mart as manager, fashion accessories at Leesburg, Florida where the family resides.

115. JOHN HOWARD HALVERSON (Edna I. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 24 JUL 1950 Mauston Juneau Co., Wisc. s. of Hilmer Halverson and Edna Isabel Milliman m. 22 APR 1972 New Lisbon, Juneau Co., Wisc. (St. Paul's Catholic Church) to Gail Marie Balgord b. 20 FEB 1952 Mauston, Wisc. dau. of Raymond Otto Balgord and Marion Dorothy Wolosek.

Children: (Surname HALVERSON)

174. Jessica Ann b. 20 MAR 1977.

175. Aaron John b. 10 JAN 1980.

John Halverson is employed as a stockroom clerk by Leer Mfg. Co. of New Lisbon, Wisc. Gail is employed as a desk clerk by Rafter's Motor Inn of New Lisbon.

Family residence is located near Camp Douglas, Wisconsin.

116. CHARLES WAYNE (CHUCK) HALVERSON (Edna I. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 22 JUL 1954 Mauston, Juneau Co., Wisc. (Hess Memorial Hospital) s. of Hilmer Halverson and Edna Isabel Milliman m. 26 MAY 1979 Wausau, Marathon Co., Wisc. (Un. Methodist Church) to Janet Ann Mason b. 11 MAR 1954 Mason City, Cerro Gordo Co., Iowa dau. of Richard Harold Mason and Ko Ann Otomo.

Children: (Surname HALVERSON)

none to MAY 1981.

Charles Halverson attended Western Wisconsin Technical Institute 1½ years and the TransAmerican School of Broadcasting one year. He is an account executive with radio station KSTP-FM in St. Paul/Minneapolis, Minn. Janet Halverson attended Iowa State University at Ames, Iowa grad. 1976 BS Degree and is employed (using her maiden name of Mason) as news reporter at WTCN-TV, the NBC affiliate in Minneapolis/St. Paul.

Residence at St. Louis Park, Minnesota.

117. PAMELA MILLIMAN (John H. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 29 JUN 1953 Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio dau. of John H. Milliman and Arlene Stuckey m. 25 MAY 1974 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Highland Bethel Evangelical Mennonite Church) to Gregg Kurtz b. 16 APR 1953 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. s. of Robert Roland Kurtz and Carolyn Sue Medlock.

Children: (Surname KURTZ)

176. Stephanie Jo b. 31 AUG 1977 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hosp.)

177. Stacie Renee b. 13 NOV 1978 South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Ind. (Memorial Hospital)

Gregg Kurtz is employed as a district sales representative for United Parcel Service.

Family residence is located at South Bend, Indiana.

130. VICTOR FOREST DERMOTT (Marion Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, Candace C. King, Marilla, Benjamin Alton) b. 28 JUN 1953 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) s. of Marion Dermott and Alverta M. Cain m. 5 MAY 1977 Oak Park, Cook Co., Ill. to Madeline Mennon, her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname DERMOTT)

178. Bernadette b. 30 MAY 1981.

179. Ch. b. Fall, 1983.

Victor Dermott attended St. Joseph College and Indiana Univ.-Purdue Univ. local campus.

Residence at Donners Grove, Illinois.

132. MARJORIE LOUISE MURPHY (Evelyn F. Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, Candace C. King, Marilla, Benjamin Alton) b. 10 FEB 1939 Antwerp, Paulding Co., Ohio dau. of Robert Murphy and Evelyn F. Dermott m. 10 AUG 1957 Antwerp, Ohio to Wayne Dennis b. 12 JUL 1936/1937 s. of Howard Dennis and Mildred --?--.

Children: (Surname DENNIS)

180. Robert Brent b. 29 MAY 1958 m. 1981 to Joni Groves of Bremen, Ohio. Both Robert and Joni attended Ohio State University at Columbus, Ohio. He grad. BA Degree in Architecture and is employed in that field. (he grad. cum laude). Joni is employed as a substitute school teacher. Residence at Ashville, Ohio.

+181. Dawn Elaine b. 26 JUL 1959.

Wayne Dennis is occupied in the sales and installation of carpet materials and Marjorie Dennis is employed as school secretary at Edgerton, Ohio.

Family residence is located at Edgerton, Ohio.

133. MARILYN ANN MURPHY (Evelyn F. Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, Candace C. King, Marilla, Benjamin Alton) b. 5 SEP 1945 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Methodist Hospital) dau. of Robert Murphy and Evelyn F. Dermott m. 6 JUL 1963 Clyde Andrew Lichty b. DEC 1942 s. of Max Lichty and Mary Traylor.

Children: (Surname LICHTY)

182. Karen Elaine b. 31 JUL 1965. Attended N.W. Tech located near Archibold, Ohio.

183. Kimberley Ann b. 16 APR 1970.

Marilyn Lichty is employed as manager of the Phelps Dodge credit union at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

This family resides at Antwerp, Ohio.

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ALTON FAMILY

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134. PAUL EDWIN MILLIMAN JR. (Paul. E. Milliman Sr., Merrit T. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 9 AUG 1950 s. of Paul E. Milliman Sr. and Ruth Bastian m. 20 AUG 1971 Judy Pensinger b. 29 JUL 1953 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Hubert R. Pensinger and Marjorie McCrady.

Children: (Surname MILLIMAN)

184. Jeremy Scott b. 29 NOV 1974.

185. Lynne Marie b. 25 OCT 1976.

Paul Milliman is employed by the Tom Berry Music Store at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

135. CHERYL RUTH MILLIMAN (Paul E. Milliman Sr., Merrit T. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 8 JUL 1951 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Paul E. Milliman Sr. and Ruth Bastian m. 16 SEP 1972 Larry R. Pensinger b. 2 FEB 1950 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Hubert R. Pensinger and Marjorie McCrady.

Children: (Surname PENSINGER)

186. Aimee (triplet) b. 30 JUL 1979 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

187. Jennifer Renee (triplet) b. 30 JUL 1979 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

188. Julia Maria (triplet) b. 30 JUL 1979 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

Larry Pensinger is employed as a marketing representative by Hardware Wholesalers, Inc.

Residence at rural New Haven, Indiana.

139. REBECCA LUCILE PYLES (Donna J. Milliman, Merrit T. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 18 MAY 1950 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) dau. of Volie E. Pyles and Donna J. Milliman m/1 JUN 1968 and divd. Spring 1972 David Cowan, his dates and parentage not given.

Rebecca m/2 in SEP 1972 at Galesburg, Knox Co., Ill Michael Lind b. 1 AUG 1949 Galva, Henry Co., Ill. and divd. 1 NOV 1977 s. of Clyde M. Lind and Irma Irene Hinderliter.

Children: (Surname LIND)

189. Audra Jean b. 18 FEB 1974 Galesburg, Knox Co., Ill.

Michael Lind attended the University of Illinois grad. Degree in Criminology. In occupation, he is employed in a supervisory position by the Spoon River Community Mental Health Center, Galesburg, Ill.

Rebecca m/3 15 APR 1978 Galesburg, Ill. to Jerry Wingo b. 10 MAR 1940 Galesburg, Ill. s. of Ralph William Wingo and Bertha Elizabeth Jordan.

Children: (Surname WINGO)

190. Jeffrey Lucas b. 16 AUG 1978 Galesburg, Knox Co., Ill.

Jerry Wingo is a carpenter in occupation. Family residence is located at Galesburg, Illinois.

140. DAVID THOMAS PYLES (Donna J. Milliman, Merrit T. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 6 NOV 1951 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) s. of Volie E. Pyles and Donna Jean Milliman m. 26 JUN 1970 Wayland, Clark Co., MO to Linda Marlowe b. 7 JUL 1954 Macomb, McDonough Co., Ill. dau. of Willard Eugene Marlowe and Bessie Rosalie Miller.

Children: (Surname PYLES)

191. Bradley Thomas b. 18 SEP 1970 Macomb, McDonough Co., Ill.

192. Lisa Noelle b. 20 OCT 1974 Macomb, McDonough Co., Ill.

Residence at Macomb, Illinois.

142. DEBRA KAY PYLES (Donna J. Milliman, Merrit T. Milliman, George W. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 1 OCT 1954 Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind. dau. of Volie E. Pyles and Donna Jean Milliman m. 12 MAY 1979 Colchester, McDonough Co., Ill. to Thomas Hunt b. 13 JAN 1954 Macomb, McDonough Co., Ill. s. of Carl Richie Hunt and Mary Elizabeth Harper.

Children: (Surname HUNT)

193. Jacob Arlo b. 1 FEB 1980 Galesburg, Knox Co., Ill.

Debra had m/1 on 16 AUG 1974 at Macomb, Ill. and divd. 21 FEB 1977 Gary Beard b. 18 OCT 1951 Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill. s. of Paul Vincent Beard and Dorothy --?--. No issue of this marriage.

Thomas Hunt is a carpenter in occupation. Residence at Good Hope, McDonough Co., Illinois.

155. JANET WEIMKEN (Doris M. Milliman, Harold O. Milliman, John D. Milliman, Mariah C., Lorenzo D., Benjamin Alton) b. 20 MAR 1959 dau. of Robert Weimken and Doris Mae Milliman m. 16 NOV 1979 Rich Westoven b. 28 MAY 1955 Napoleon, Henry Co., Ohio s. of Bill Westoven and Ann Dagostine.

Children: (Surname WESTOVEN)

194. Brett Alan b. 21 FEB 1981 Napoleon, Henry Co., Ohio.

Residence is located near Liberty Center, Ohio. Rich Westoven is a farmer in occupation.

181. DAWN ELAINE DENNIS (Marjorie L. Murphy, Evelyn F. Dermott, Forest K. Dermott, Candace C. King, Marilla, Benjamin Alton) b. 26 JUL 1959 dau. of Wayne Dennis and Marjorie L. Murphy m. JUN 1978 Keith Van Horn, his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname VAN HORN)

195. Adam Keith b. 21 FEB 1980.

196. Brent Joseph b. 31 AUG 1981.

Keith Van Horn has served as a teacher at the High School in Bryan, Ohio and presently is employed as student counselor at that facility.

Dawn Van Horn is employed as secretary at the Chamber of Commerce of Bryan, Ohio.

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KOCH FAMILY

Among all of the early settler families in the Coburntown community whose descendants are traced in these volumes, the Koch line is the shortest; that is, the immigrant ancestor came most recently to America. For that reason, what is presented here constitutes a complete genealogy limited only by the lost traces of descendants that relocated or about whom information could not be obtained for one reason or another.

Pronunciation of the name KOCH deserves some attention here. There are many families in America with this surname emigrating in the main from Germany where the name apparently is very common. It might be compared in popularity to the name COOK in England, a very familiar name in America among families that in general are found to be of English extraction. It is a fact, however, that a rather large number of KOCH descendants in this country actually converted the spelling of their surname to "COOK," perhaps as a result of the problem in preserving the German pronunciation of the KOCH name. Among those continuing to spell the name K-O-C-H, variations in pronunciation are found with "COOK" AND "COKE" being quite common as well as "COE" OR "COH:" also, on occasion, "KOSH" as used by the present mayor of New York City (who may not have German ancestry).

The more correct pronunciation appears to be "COE" OR "COH." In the German language, the letters "CH" do not have a "K" sound as in the English language and also the letter "H" in German has a harsh sound; so the German pronunciation of "KOCH" more nearly comes out in English to be "COH" with some slight emphasis imparted by the sound of the letter "H" on the end. On occasion, the pronunciation may sound like "CO" with a soft "F" on the ending.

The German-type pronunciation of the surname still is maintained by present-day descendants of the KOCH line reported in this volume. In fact, tradition has it that some families appearing in the third and fourth generations persisted in using German as a primary language in their homes so their children necessarily became bilingual at an early age. No doubt this practice contributed to the fact of perpetuating the original pronunciation of the surname and its continued use into current generations.

An informal gathering of about 44 Koch relatives was held on 26 AUG 1923 at Dilts Grove in DeKalb Co., Ind. to enjoy a "feast of good things and congenial companionship," during which the suggestion was put to vote and approved for holding an annual Koch reunion each August. Officers and committees were duly selected for the ensuing year to implement this program.

The first formal reunion by members of the Koch family in DeKalb Co., Ind. was held at the Community Hall in Spencerville on 3 AUG 1924. Fortunately for this record, a paper was presented at that reunion by Simon Romeo Koch (then residing at Muskogee, Okla.) which detailed most eloquently the circumstances that brought his grandfather, John Ulrich Koch, to America (the ancestor of this Koch line).

The following copy of this interesting and enlightening paper is taken verbatim from the original hand-written manuscript as an introduction to the genealogy which follows.

DEAR KINSHIP - GREETINGS

This occasion today is in celebration of the first reunion of the Koch Family. The primary object of this gathering today is of a twofold purpose.

The first one is to verify such facts and dates that are necessary and essential in the establishment of an authentic history or biography of our ancestors, tracing our lineage and classifying our relative position on the pages of the history of this Family Tree.

The second object is of a social nature whereby we can renew acquaintance and with some getting acquainted. The social feature can be made one of the most important parts of the programme. By judicious arrangements opportunities can be given for the discussion of such thoughts and ideas that ultimately elevate our lives to a higher sphere and create within us a firm resolution to live a more consecrated life, a clearer conception of the duties to our kinship and fellowman. The specific purpose of this movement should be to combine all the forces available in an effort to elevate the morale of the Koch family, and place its name upon such a high pedestal that our descendants can feel proud of their heritage and emulate our good deeds and achievements.

In returning to the first or historical part of this topic, we must establish a basis upon which we can construct a positive and authentic history of our family. Unfortunately for us our early ancestors left no records of their family history which would assist us in compiling an authentic biography. Consequently our family history is to a great extent traditional. Especially is this true of John Ulrich Koch, the remotest of our ancestors.

Our historian today gave a brief sketch of the life of John Ulrich Koch. It is a conceded fact that he was born in Germany, migrated to the U. S. when a young man, married Miss Barbara Repman of Wooster, Ohio and to them were born three sons, namely: Gottlieb, Simon and Joseph. Fearing that I may in a measure be repeating some of the facts and events that have been drawn to our attention today, I will but briefly dwell upon the character and some of the distinguishing qualities of this man. We are aware that the inherently fundamental principles which compose character is (sic) greatly influenced and moulded by environments. In order that we may better understand some of his characteristics, we should have a clearer understanding of some of (the) conditions as they existed then in civic and governmental life. Let us turn backward the pages of history a few centuries and take a retrospective view of conditions as they existed in Continental Europe and the U. S.

Their mode of living then was very crude. In fact all of the great improvements developed by science in civil and commercial life have been accomplished since his time. Governmental affairs at that time in Germany were of such a

nature that all young male citizens of sound mind and body were compelled to enter into Military service and become a part of that great Military system. To enter these services required the young man to give to the government that portion of his life which is necessary for him to prepare himself for his life's profession. To enter this service also meant a postponement of this preparation. To refuse meant certain death by the order of the King. Fortunately, there was one honorable means of escaping this Military system, and that was to migrate to the U. S., the land of opportunity, freedom and liberty.

Courage, ambition, perseverance, determination, fortitude, and self-sacrifice are some of the attributes of character. In tracing some of his characteristics, we find that he possessed all of these to a remarkable degree. Courage and determination with him were almost personified. Navigation on water at that time was of the crudest type. Vessels then were guided and propelled by sails. Seagoing vessels were not only unsafe but were altogether at the mercy of winds. The Great Atlantic was then unexplored. Under these conditions it required the greatest courage and demands our highest admiration. But this mere boy had firmly resolved to cast his lot among the opportunities in the New Continent. Military life to him was a burden, an unnecessary factor in his life.

Let us for a few minutes consider the sacrifices he must make before journeying to his new home.

There was a father and a dear sweet mother, brothers and sisters, his boyhood chums and possibly a sweetheart. A beautiful country rich in natural resources, beautiful streams winding among the mountains of historic sceneries; vast forests of gigantic trees and smaller streams whose banks were covered with wild flowers of many hues and colors, whose rich perfume permeated the very atmosphere and filled the soul with rapture and ecstasy. All these (things) and many more must be sacrificed forever.

Determination is a great factor in character. It is a power for good when properly applied. Skillfully and diplomatically we find he had overcome all inconveniences and obstacles and now we find him standing with his hat in one hand, great tears were in those big blue eyes, a great lump in his throat which he could not swallow, his right hand was firmly clasped in the right hand of his father. A little to one side stands his mother with a broken heart, for intuition tells her that she is about to give up one of the most precious jewels of her life.

Oh, the great heartache of that mother, and then there are the brothers and sisters, the boyhood companions and perhaps also a betrothed sweetheart. All paying their respects to this young man as he is about to start on his voyage across the great sea.

The mother in her great sorrow for his sake suppressed those burning tears until she has returned to her lowly cottage and then in her uncontrollable grief which she can no longer suppress, she bursts into tears and with that

motherly face turned heavenward, she prays God that her son shall be saved from the dangers of the journey. O, the blessings of a mother's prayers.

We have been dwelling at some length upon the character of our forefather. Let us now ask ourselves this question, "What is Character?" I will answer that question by reducing it to a few words and that answer is this; "Character is what God thinks of us." Reputation is what man thinks and says about us. Let us strive to have an honorable character and reputation will take care of itself.

I have now dwelt at too great a length on this subject and will leave the rest to the historian, and I hope that she has breathed the breath of life into well chosen words so that they may become living influences over you all. In closing, let me admonish each and every one here today to live such a life that our posterity may emulate our good deeds and achievements and respect and reverence our memory. Life is short. Life is fleeting. We are here for a few days only. We then fall like the grass before the reaper. Let us so live that when we are called to our forefathers, they can say, "He had a noble character."

And now in closing these exercises today, you evidently will sing that sacred song, "God Be With You Until We Meet Again" and perhaps by another year when you meet at the second reunion, I hope we can so arrange our affairs that we can answer Here at roll call.

Very Humbly,

Simon R. Koch

The author wishes to mention that in addition to the usual sources of research such as historical references, Federal census records, various kinds of public records at the county level and newspaper accounts of one kind or another, and queries directed to Koch family members, there has recently come to hand a report which traces the descendants of George W. Koch and Hannah Opple in the third generation of this genealogy; they having departed from DeKalb Co., Ind. at an early date to brave the new frontier in Newaygo and Oceana counties in Michigan when this area still was an undeveloped wilderness. Items taken from this material are quoted freely herein where applicable to provide an insight of family life and details experienced that otherwise would not have been available to us. An expression of gratitude to the authors (Clyde L. Guyer, Ervin A. Doty, Mrs. Yvonne J. Spaans, Mrs. Bonnie L. Van Dyke) is noted here for their fine efforts in researching and compiling this valuable record.

KOCH FAMILY

GENERATION ONE

1. JOHN ULRICH KOCH b. 24 JUL 1794 Baden-Baden, Germany d. 31 MAR 1867 Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio bur. Vesper Cem., Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, his parentage not determined m. prob. c.1921 Barbara E. Repman of Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio b. 15 APR 1798 State of Bavaria, Germany d. 12 DEC 1853 bur. Zehner Cem., Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+2. Gottlieb b. 15 DEC 1823 d. 1 NOV 1898.

+3. Simon b. 4 MAR 1825 d. 25 OCT 1886.

+4. Joseph b. 9 JUL 1833 d. 24 DEC 1917.

It is possible that Barbara's maiden name may have been Rebman rather than Repman although the latter is carried down in family records. A search for her parents' family in the area of Wayne Co., Ohio in 1820 census records failed to produce any families with the Repman name while there were a number of Rebman families there. It is understood that Barbara was two years old when her family came to America.

Baden-Baden, the birthplace of John Ulrich Koch in the State of Baden (now Baden-Wurttemberg) is located about 15 miles from the border of France in the area above Switzerland. This city is in the Black Forest and long has been a spa noted for its mineral baths, dating back to the Roman occupation. The ruins of Roman baths are reported to remain there today.

The introductory address of Simon Romeo Koch herein mentions the incentive to escape Military service which led John U. Koch to migrate as a youth from his parental home in Germany to settle in America. It should be noted that the years of his youth witnessed the French Revolutionary Wars (1792-1802) and the Napoleonic Wars which followed (1803-1815) in which the nearby German State of Prussia was defeated by the French and subsequently forced into involvement with Napoleon's campaign in Russia. This action was followed by Prussia joining the coalition against France and the defeat of Napoleon.

These historic developments are mentioned only in the belief that they probably influenced the decision of John Ulrich Koch to leave his homeland in search of a more peaceful outlook in America.

We have no record of the whereabouts and activities of John Ulrich Koch during his early years in America. Reported to have left Germany when 16 years of age, he should have arrived in America in 1813. What trials he must have faced in adjusting to life in his chosen land. Still a youth and probably unable to speak the English language, there must have been real problems for him in becoming acclimated to the new conditions he encountered and in developing a means of livelihood.

Somehow he reached Wayne County in Ohio by perhaps 1820, apparently adapted to his new environment and having achieved some success in occupational pursuits; no doubt having worked hard and lived frugally, characteristic of so many immigrants to America from European countries. At least he had become well enough established after about eight years in America that he could then take on the responsibilities of family life.

There is no indication that he ever applied for citizenship in the United States but this was not unusual for immigrants of that period. Perhaps for him a deterrent to naturalization may have been the requirement for expatriation (renunciation of previous national allegiance). However, there were then vast areas of undeveloped land and opportunities abounded in the ever-broadening frontiers of the U. S. so an influx of immigrant settlers was a needed and welcomed element in the expanding nation. As a consequence, citizenship in general must have been a relatively unimportant factor with little emphasis given to the naturalization process.

After the birth of their first son in 1823, John and Barbara Koch relocated from Wayne Co., Ohio to Ashland Co., Ohio (then a part of Richland and Wayne counties); and a second son was born there two years later. It seems that they then returned to Wayne Co. for a time where the third son was born in 1833. Some time later, they appeared again in Ashland Co., Ohio where they were enumerated in the 1850 census at Mifflin Twp., and where they resided the remainder of their days.

Family records mention only the three sons, Gottlieb, Simon and Joseph. Nevertheless, the 1850 census enumeration included in the family another male identified only by the initial "E." born c.1834 in Ohio. Perhaps this child died an early death but there is no record of his burial in either of the cemeteries where the parents are interred.

We are told that traditionally in the northern part of Germany the predominant religion is Protestant while in southern Germany the Catholic faith prevails. There seems to have been no strong predominance either way among the descendants of John and Barbara Koch. It was thought at first that a pattern would be found of allegiance to the Lutheran church but this has not proven to be the case. Instead, it is indicated that the respective branches were open-minded in their choice of religious preference and selected whichever church most appealed to them on an individual or family basis.

The indications are that in occupation John Ulrich Koch was a lifelong farmer.

There is a remark contained in the biographical entry for son Joseph which appeared in the 1885 History of DeKalb County, Indiana referring to his parents and reading, "Their family consisted of nine children, but three of whom lived till maturity." This statement furnishes some enlightenment even though other details are unknown concerning the children that died young or in infancy.

KOCH FAMILY

GENERATION TWO

2. GOTTLIEB KOCH (John U. Koch) b. 15 DEC 1823 near Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio
d. 1 NOV 1898 Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio Ae 74y 10m 16d (g.s.) bur.
Vesper Cem., Ashland Co., Ohio s. of John Ulrich Koch and Barbara Repman m.
13 DEC 1846 Catherine Hault b. 29 AUG 1827 Hanover, or Wittenberg, Germany
d. 16 JAN 1904 Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio Ae 76y 4m 7d (g.s.) bur. Vesper
Cem., Ashland Co., Ohio, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +5. Christian b. 3 FEB 1848 d. 1 APR 1906.
- 6. Joseph b. 12 AUG 1849 d. 21 SEP 1849.
- 7. John C. b. 30 APR 1851 d. 3 OCT 1841.
- +8. George W. b. 18 SEP 1852 d. 16 SEP 1936.
- +9. Josiah b. 23 JAN 1854 d. 16 DEC 1936.
- +10. Mary Jane b. 11 JAN 1858 d. 1 MAR 1939.
- +11. Louisa b. 31 AUG 1857 d. NOV 1944
- 12. Levi b. 15 APR 1859 d. DEC 1874.
- 13. Barbara E. b. 7 MAR 1860 d. 9 OCT 1860.
- +14. Martin Luther b. 15 SEP 1861 d. 15 MAY 1941
- 15. Rosa Ann b. 8 NOV 1863 d. 23 DEC 1863.
- +16. Amanda M. b. 27 MAY 1865 d. 27 MAY 1864.
- +17. Isaiah C. b. 31 OCT 1866 d. 1960.
- +18. Simon Romeo b. 2 FEB 1869 d. MAY 1973.
- 19. Lydia Ann b. 17 MAR 1871 d. 18 MAR 1893 bur Vesper Cem., Ashland Co.,
Ohio m. 18 SEP 1892 Harvey Kyle (brother of Catherine Kyle who
m. Lydia's brother Isaiah above). No issue.

Catherine Hault came to the United States in 1833 with her parents who settled near Fredericksburg, Holmes Co., Ohio.

Gottlieb (sometimes spelled Gotlieb) and Catherine moved from Ohio to DeKalb Co., Indiana in 1847 along with his brothers Simon and Joseph, undoubtedly drawn by the opportunity to acquire good farmland at an attractive price in this area which was still largely unsettled due to the barrier formed by the Black Swamp in northeastern Ohio. All of their children were born here. Then on 16 OCT 1872 the family returned to Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio where the parents and some of the children remained thereafter. It is thought that the death of Gottlieb's father in 1871 and disposition of his property must have influenced this move back to Ohio.

Gottlieb was a farmer in occupation.

From History of Wayne County, Ohio by George Wm. Hill, M.D. :-

GOTLIEB KOCH was born in Wayne county, this State, December 15, 1823, where

he resided until the age of ten years, when his parents removed to this county, and located in Mifflin township, where our subject lived until he was twenty-three years old, when he went to the State of Indiana. He remained there twenty-nine years, when he came back to this township, where he has since resided. He is the oldest child of John and Barbara Koch, who came to this county at an early day. His father died in March, 1871. His mother died in December, 1825 or 1826. Our subject, Gotlieb, was married December 13, 1846, to Miss C. Hault. They have reared a family of fifteen children, ten of whom are living, and named: Christian, born February 3, 1848; George W., born September 18, 1852; Josiah born January 23, 1854; Mary J., born January 11, 1856; Louisa, born August 31, 1857; Martin Luther, born September 15, 1861; Amanda, born May 27, 1864; Isaiah, born October 31, 1866; Simon R., born February 2, 1869; Lida Ann, born March 17, 1871. Those who are dead were Joseph, born August 12, 1849, and died September 21, 1849; John, born April 30, 1851, and died October 3, 1851; Levi, born April 30, 1859, and died December 1874; Barbara, born March 7, 1860, and died October 9, 1860; and Rosa Ann died when about six weeks old. Mrs. Koch was born in Germany, August 29, 1827. She came to this country at the age of five years. Mr. Koch has paid his attention to farming from boyhood, which vocation he still follows, and now owns one of the best productive farms in his township, containing three hundred and twenty-six acres.

3. SIMON KOCH (John U. Koch) b. 4 MAR 1826 Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio d. 25 OCT 1886 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. s. of John Ulrich Koch and Barbara Repman m. 11 OCT 1849 Allen Co., Ind. to Anna P. Kees b. 16 DEC 1824 Ohio d. 14 APR 1905 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. dau. of Russell Kees and Hannah -----.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

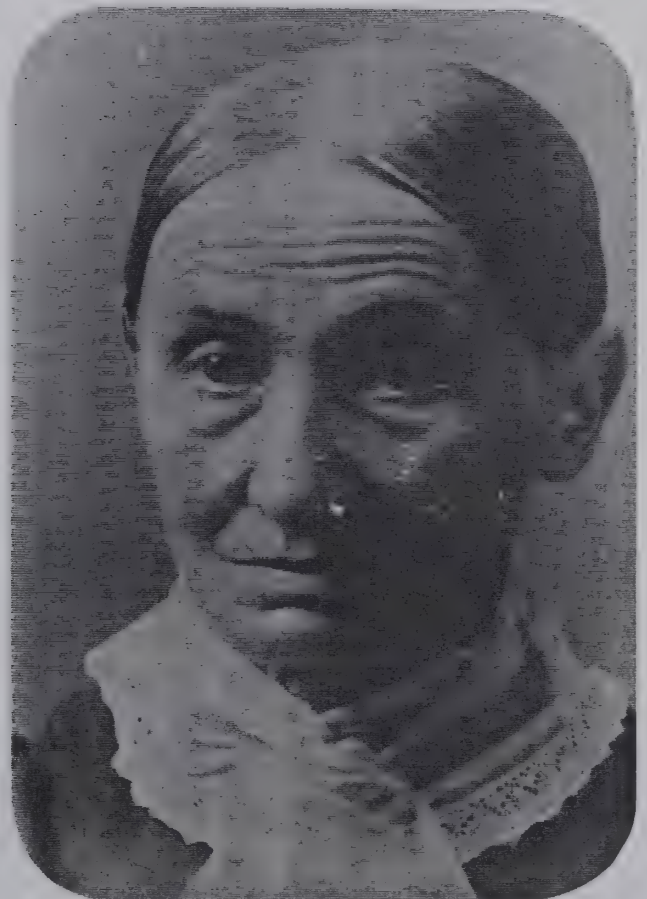
- 20. Mary b. 1 JUL 1850 Ind. d. 17 MAR 1853 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind.
- +21. William b. 20 SEP 1851 d. 31 JUL 1901.
- 22. Joseph b. 23 SEP 1853 Ind. d. 21 MAR 1866 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind.
- +23. Sarah Jane b. 23 FEB 1856 d. 14 APR 1922.
- +24. Samantha Ann b. 23 AUG 1858 d. 13 JUN 1939.
- 25. Minerva b. 2 OCT 1864 d. 6 JUL 1865 DeKalb Co., Ind., bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind.
- +26. Albert b. MAR 1868

Simon Koch came to DeKalb Co., Indiana from Ashland Co., Ohio in 1847 with his brothers Gottlieb and Joseph and settled in Concord Township. A farmer in occupation, he acquired 200 acres of good land, some of which was passed on to daughter Sarah Jane when she married.

Apparently Simon took little interest in community matters since there is no record of such involvement. One might assume that he was somewhat of an introvert by nature and preferred to concentrate his efforts on the operation of his farm and the family life. There is every indication that he was a diligent worker and a loving father. If his death at the age of 61 is any indication, he may not have enjoyed the best of health.



Gottlieb Koch (#2)



Catherine Hault, w. of
Gottlieb Koch

3. JOSEPH KOCH (John U. Koch) b. 9 JUN 1833 Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio d. 24 DEC 1917 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of John Ulrich Koch and Barbara Repman m. 17 MAR 1853 DeKalb Co., Ind. by James Draggoo to Mary Ann Jenkins b. 1 FEB 1836 Ohio d. 12 JAN 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of John Jenkins and Margaret Hull.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +27. Sarah Lousinda b. 16 JAN 1854 d. 3 NOV 1944.
- +28. John Ulrich b. 30 JUN 1856 d. 14 MAR 1935.
- +29. Reuben J. b. 28 DEC 1857 d. 14 MAY 1943.
- +30. John Wilson b. 15 OCT 1859 d. 18 FEB 1926.
- +31. Anna b. 14 MAR 1861 d. 29 SEP 1931.
- 32. Margaret Ellen b. 10 SEP 1863 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 10 MAY 1910 Charlevoix Co., Mich. m/1 23 MAR 1890 DeKalb Co., Ind. to John Updegraph b. 1861 d. 16 JAN 1896. No issue. She then m/2 29 MAR 1899 DeKalb Co., Ind. Joseph M. Stutzman and they resided at Boyne City, Mich. until her death. No issue. Mr. Stutzman had m. previously and had two sons.
- 33. Ida b. 7 JUL 1864 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 24 DEC 1903 m. 5 SEP 1893 Louis Schwarzdorf (may have had issue).
- 34. Lilly Della b. 25 JAN 1868 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 23 MAY 1897 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Frank E. Johnson b. 24 MAR 1875 d. 9 MAY 1943 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (hospital) (myocarditis) bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. No issue.
- +35. Charles b. 23 OCT 1869 d. 7 FEB 1961.
- +36. Amanda Margaret b. 7 MAR 1872 d. 19 AUG 1954.

Joseph Koch was a farmer in occupation. He served in the Civil War and enlisted 6 OCT 1864 at Kendallville, Ind. for one year, a member of Company C, 35th Regiment and present at all muster roll calls NOV '64 - AUG '65; mustered out at Victoria, Texas 30 SEP 1865. His military description was eyes grey hair brown complexion fair height 5 ft. 5 in.

From the 1885 History of DeKalb County:

JOSEPH KOCH, son of Ulrich and Barbara (Repman) Koch, was born in Ashland County, Ohio, in July, 1832. His parents were natives of Germany, his father coming to America when sixteen and his mother when two years of age. Their family consisted of nine children, but three of whom lived till maturity. In 1852 Joseph Koch came to DeKalb County, Ind., and began clearing a tract of heavily timbered land which his father had bought some time before. He lived on and improved this farm till after the breaking out of the Rebellion when, Nov. 4, 1864, he enlisted in Company C, Thirty-fifth Indiana Infantry, and served till the close of the war. He participated in many hard fought battles, among others Franklin and Nashville. His health became impaired from exposure and as the result of an accident at Nashville, and he has never recovered from its effects. Since his return from the war he has followed agricultural pur-

suits, and now has one of the finest farms in the township, containing 160 acres, all under cultivation. He was married April 17, 1853, to Mary Ann Jenkins, daughter of John and Margaret (Hull) Jenkins. They are the parents of eleven (sic) children -- Sarah L., John U., Reuben J., Wilson, Annie, Margaret E., Lillie Della, Charley, and Amanda K. (sic). Mr. Koch is a member of John Carns Post, No. 144, G. A. R. Politically he is a Democrat.

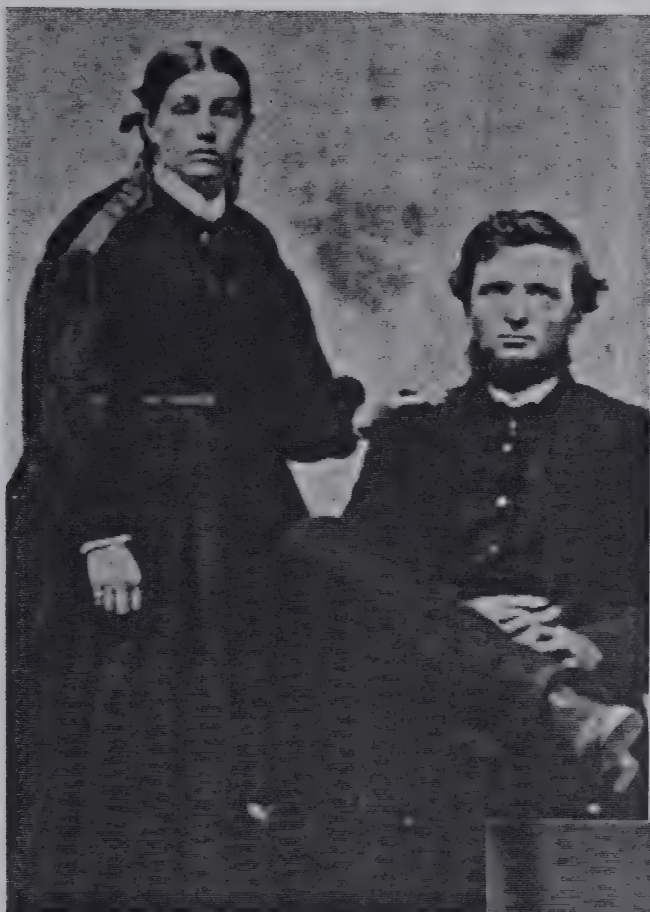
Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, Jan. 19, 1911

The citizens of St. Joe were surprised Saturday morning to learn that Mrs Joseph Koch had passed away during the night. She had been in good health and was taken suddenly ill with heart trouble, and within a very short time after it was first noticed that she was sick, she was cold in death. It was indeed a shock to the relatives as well as friends to learn of her sudden death. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Church of Christ, Elder Brown officiating, assisted by Rev. I. N. Shilling. Burial in Riverside Cemetery. Elza Kinsey funeral director. The church was filled to overflowing and many were compelled to leave on account of the severe cold wind.

Mary Ann Koch, daughter of John and Margaret Jenkins, was born Feb. 1st, 1836. Died Jan. 12th, 1911. Aged 74 years 11 months and 11 days. She was united in marriage to Joseph Koch in 1853. She was the mother of ten children, eight of whom are living. She leaves a husband, children, two sisters, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Her life may be characterized in the following words. She was a true and affectionate wife, a kind and loving mother, a home and peace maker. She was always considerate for the rights and feelings of others. She was always interested in the success and character of her children. Their pleasure and happiness was her pleasure and happiness. Their success, her success. Their grief and distress was also hers. She will be greatly missed in the family circle and in the home, but if it pleases the allwise and powerful God, the creator of all things to be thus, we must and will submit.



Simon Koch (#3) & w.
Anna P. Kees



Joseph Koch & w.
Mary Ann Jenkins

KOCH FAMILY

GENERATION THREE

5. CHRISTIAN KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 3 FEB 1848 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1 APR 1906 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencer-ville, Ind. s. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 17 OCT 1875 Margaret R. Shull b. 6 OCT 1845 Ind. d. 18 JUL 1923 (g.s.) bur. White City Cem. dau. of David Shull and Sarah Reecer.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+37. Clara Gertrude b. 22 OCT 1876 d. 18 MAY 1934.

+38. John Clark b. 10 JUL 1881 d. 17 OCT 1957.

Christian Koch was a farmer in occupation.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, July 26, 1923

On October 6, 1845, there was born to David and Sarah Reecer Shull a daughter, Margaret R. At the time of her birth, her parents lived one and one-half miles east of Spencerville, Ind. Here she grew to womanhood, and at the age of thirty, on October 17, 1875, was united in marriage to Christian Koch. To this union was born a daughter and son, Clara Gertrude Smith and John Clark Koch, both of whom reside near Spencerville. She was the first child born on this road and was acquainted with the hardships of pioneer life. When she was twelve years old her mother passed away, and from that date, until the time of her marriage, she made her own way in the world working at times for as little as fifty cents per week.

Early in life she accepted Christ, and joined the church of God. Many years ago she transferred her membership to the Methodist church of Spencerville, and lived a devout Christian life until called to her reward at two o'clock Wednesday morning, July 18, 1923.

Surrounded by her children and faithful nurse, her spirit returned to God who gave it, thus ending a life of patient suffering, having reached the age of 77 years, 9 months and 12 days. Those who watched by her bedside during the days of intense suffering and listened to her prayers, in behalf of her loved ones, the church and its pastor and his family, realized her trust in God was steadfast.

Three weeks ago, being scarcely able to be about in her own home, she followed her aged and only sister to her last resting place, and while standing by her open grave, she said, "she soon would follow." We children and grandchildren do not mourn her as dead but feel like she has just gone away.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Wed., Apr. 11, 1906

Christian Koch, son of Gottlieb and Catharine Koch, was born on the old home-

stead east of Spencerville, Ind., Feb. 2, 1848 and died at the same place, April 1st, 1906, having attained the age of 58 years, 1 month and 28 days.

Deceased was the first born of fifteen children. October 17th, 1875 he was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Shull, and to this union were born two children, Clara Gertrude and John Clark. Bro. Koch is survived by his wife and two children, two grandchildren, nine brothers and three sisters.

He was well and favorably known in the community where he resided all his life and will be greatly missed by his many friends and neighbors. A kind husband, an affectionate father and a public spirited and intelligent citizen has gone from among us leaving a vacant place in the home and hearts of his loved ones that cannot be filled. A number of years ago, the deceased united with the M. E. church as a probationer and the church of his choice has always had his loyal and liberal support. It was the Great Master who said: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant, thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

8. GEORGE W. KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 18 SEP 1852 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 16 SEP 1936 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. s. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 14 OCT 1877/78 Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio to Hannah Opple b. 22 AUG 1855 Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio d. 21 JUL 1918 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. (cancer) dau. of Joseph Opple and Catherine Riehm.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+39. Reuben C. b. 30 AUG 1878/79 d. 3 SEP 1942.

40. William V. b. 7 APR 1880 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 DEC 1954 Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Mich. m. 5 JUN 1911 Mary Gertrude Blade b. 4 MAR 1881 Ohio d. 8 FEB 1920 Muskegon Co., Mich. dau. of Ambrose Blade and Mary Jane Cole; she is bur. at Troy Cem., Newaygo Co., Mich. No issue of this marriage. Will and his wife had been school teachers when they married and he also farmed and was active in local affairs, serving as township supervisor. After his wife's early death of pneumonia brought on by the flu so severely prevalent at that time a short time after his mother had died, Will moved to the homestead to live with his father and the two of them shared the home duties while Will farmed. He bought the farm from the other heirs after his father's death and remained there until he died at age 74; burial near his parents at Colfax Cem. next to the Koch homestead.

+41. Frank Benjamin b. 6 SEP 1884 d. 5 JAN 1975.

42. Maude b. 17 AUG 1887 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. and living 1977 m. 1932 Bert Goodell, a real estate broker. No issue. Maude attended Ferris School of Education at Big Rapids, Mich. and was a school teacher for a time, later working for Wyandotte Chemical Co. after moving to Wyandotte, Mich. In 1977 she was living in a home for the elderly.

+43. Ora George b. 8 NOV 1891 d. 16 JUL 1959.

Hannah Koch's parents emigrated from Germany and settled in Mifflin Twp.,

Ashland Co., Ohio where Joseph Opple farmed, his property being located adjacent to the land of Gottlieb Koch. The name OPPLER reportedly is derived from the German name APPEL or APEL and in early Ohio records the most common spelling was APPLE; however, OPPLER is the spelling used in the family Bible and by all of the descendants of this line. The Oppel children reportedly were educated in the home, the school, and the church and all spoke the German language fluently so it is understandable that of the four children who grew to adulthood each married a person of German descent.

After a brief sojourn in DeKalb Co., Indiana where their first two children were born, George and Hannah were attracted by the availability of homestead lands in Michigan and moved there, locating initially near Fremont, Newaygo Co. and shortly afterward to Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., about six miles north-east of the village of Walkerville, where they established their home. George worked as a farmer and a lumberman. He first built a small home for the family and later with the help of the boys built a large country style farm home on the property which consisted of 80 acres, with Allen Creek crossing the back portion. They did general farming, raising a few chickens and cows, and using horses for the farm work. The boys sometimes worked in the area lumber camps.

George had a long flowing beard and was never bald. He enjoyed smoking a pipe. Hannah had a broad handsome face and was dark brunette, short and stocky. Their intelligent and patient nature is illustrated by the reminiscence of a granddaughter, "The family would gather around the large dining room table in the evening and enter into discussions on various matters and topics of current interest. When those discussions would become heated, Hannah would play the part of the peace-maker and her patient manner and humor would calm them all." Maude and Ora were teachers and William's wife also taught school.

George and Hannah were a devoted couple and when she died on July 21, 1918, after a long illness of cancer, it was a great loss to him. Hannah was buried in the Colfax Township Cemetery. The cemetery being right next to their home was a constant reminder to George of his grief and so his children took him to Indiana for a visit where he could have the consolation of his family. He continued his farming with son William living with him and William later purchased the farm. George Koch died September 16, 1936 and is buried beside Hannah in Colfax Cemetery.

9. JOSIAH KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 23 JAN 1854 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 16 DEC 1936 Amaden Hospital, Hicksville, Ohio (heart ailment) bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. s. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 18 JAN 1883 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Lucy F. Headley b. 5 JUL 1860 Ind. d. 10 AUG 1938 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb CO., Ind. dau. of Jesse R. Headley and Julia A. Keefer (or Jump).

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+44. Jessie b. 29 NOV 1885.

Josiah was a farmer in occupation.

Lucy Koch was a dressmaker in Hicksville, Ohio after the death of her husband. Possibly she also followed this occupation during the years they resided at Macy, Indiana.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thurs, Dec. 17, 1936

Josiah Koch was the third of fifteen children born to Gotlieb and Catharine Koch. The place of his birth was at the old Koch homestead, east of Spencer township, where John Koch now resides. The time of his birth was January 23, 1854. He had attained to the age of 83 years, 10 months and 16 days, when he answered the final summons, Wednesday afternoon at the Amaden hospital in Hicksville after an illness of two weeks due to a heart ailment. Mr. Koch has lived on a farm near Macy, Ind. for the past twenty-five years.

He leaves three brothers, Martin of Spencerville, Isaiah of Ashland, Ohio, and Romeo of Muskogee, Okla., two sisters, Mrs. Louisa Vesper and Mrs. Mary Byroade, both of Hicksville, one daughter, Mrs. Jessie Hughes of Hicksville, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Walter funeral home in Spencerville with Rev. J. N. Scholes officiating and burial was made in White City cemetery.

10. MARY JANE KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 11 JAN 1858 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1 MAR 1939 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 30 MAR 1876 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Isaac W. Lowman to Alfred Byroade b. 14 APR 1851 Cambia Co., Penn. d. 26 JUN 1921 at his home in Hicksville, Ohio s. of George Byroade and Susan Strayer.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

- 45. William c. b. 27 NOV 1879/80 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 27 AUG 1935 Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. m. Maud ----, her dates and parentage not given. He was a farmer in occupation. No issue.
- +46. George C. b. 12 MAR 1882 d. 5 MAR 1975.
- +47. Earnest C. b. 30 MAY 1884 d. 2 MAR 1981.
- 48. Edith E. b. 19 APR 1889 d. 8 FEB 1891.
- +49. Raymon C. b. 22 DEC 1891 d. 23 AUG 1959.
- +50. Harley Alden b. 13 MAY 1894 d. 10 OCT 1966.

Alfred was a farmer in occupation, residing at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. until nearly 1890 when the family relocated to Scipio Twp., Allen Co., Ind. It is understood that he also worked as a carpenter.

Obituary:

from Hicksville, Ohio newspaper

BYROADE. Alfred, son of George and Susan Byroade, was born in Cambia Co., Pa., near Johnstown, April 14, 1851, and died at his residence on Defiance Ave., June 26, 1921, aged 70 years, 2 months and 12 days. When about 5 years of age

his parents moved to Richland Co., near Mansfield, O. Later at the age of 17 years he with his parents located near Spencerville, Ind. March 30, 1876 he was united in marriage to Mary J. Koch, and to this union were born seven (sic) children, five sons and two (sic) daughters. The daughters preceded him in death in infancy. There remain to mourn their loss his wife and five sons, William, of Akron, O.; George, of Hicksville; Ernest (sic), of Woodburn, Ind.; Raymon, of near Mark Center; and Harley, of near Hicksville; nine grandchildren, also two brothers, O. W., of Johnstown, Pa.; and Samuel, of Akron, O. He was a believer in Christianity, contributed to the support of the church, and was always found on the right side of moral questions. Funeral services were held at the U. B. church in Hicksville, conducted by Rev. Jacob Philips, assisted by Rev. Haldeman. Interment in Scipio cemetery.

11. LOUISA KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 31 AUG 1857 d. NOV 1944 Hicks-ville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 6 JAN 1881 Michael Vesper b. 28 MAR 1854 d. 13 OCT 1900 s. of Christian Vesper and Susanna Boyer.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

- 51. Curtis b. 24 APR 1881 m. c.1925 Estella Wolf b. 13 NOV 1884. No issue. No further details known.
- +52. Herman b. 21 APR 1883.
- +53. Clarence b. 20 APR 1885 d. 6 JUL 1956.
- 54. Bessie b. 8 AUG 1892 m. Clarence Green b. 26 NOV 1888. Resided Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio. No issue.

14. MARTIN LUTHER KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 15 SEP 1861 d. 15 MAY 1941 Ae 79 years DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. s. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 11 JAN 1896 Allen Co., Ind. to Martha Tryphena Johnson b. 7 JUN 1870 Scipio Twp., Allen Co., Ind. d. 10 JUN 1943 Ae 73 years DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem. dau. of Frank Johnson and Margaret Hammond.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 55. Paul Rudolph b. 27 MAR 1897 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 10 SEP 1982 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. m. Ethel G. ----- b. 1901 d. 2 FEB 1978 Angola, Ind. (Cameron Hospital), her parentage not determined. No issue. Paul served in the Military during WWII and in FEB 1943 was stationed at Sheppard Field, Texas. Residence at Angola, Ind.
- +56. Mary Jane b. 6 JAN 1901 d. 25 JUL 1981.
- 57. Dwight Elwood (also known as James) b. 16 MAY 1912 m/1 17 SEP 1940 and divd. 30 APR 1942 Dolores Mills; m/2 18 AUG 1949 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Methodist parsonage) to Margaret Mae Hill b. 7 MAY 1919 Tazewell, Claiborne Co. Tenn. dau. of Thomas Hill and Lulu Cobb. Margaret Koch is a niece of Ty Cobb of baseball fame. Dwight has been a lifelong resident and farmer in Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. No issue.

58. Mabel Lillian b. 4 SEP 1905 d. 1981 m/1 c. DEC 1932 Arthur Jinks;
m/2 Dr. Clouse and resided at Waterloo, Ind. No issue.

From the St. Joe News; Thursday, May 22, 1941: The funeral of Mr. Martin Koch, 79 years of age, was held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. Koch resided about four miles east of Spencerville and died on Thursday after a long illness. He leaves the wife, two daughters, two sons, six grandchildren, a sister and two brothers. The funeral was in charge of Rev. Homer Studebaker, of Highland, Indiana and interment was made in White City Cemetery.

In June of 1941 Mrs. Martin Koch was reported to be a medical patient at the Sanders hospital and afterward resided with her children until her death. The St. Joe News of Thursday, June 17, 1943 reported that the funeral of Mrs. Martha Koch, age 73, was held on Sunday afternoon from the Methodist Church with burial in White City Cemetery.

16. AMANDA M. KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 27 MAY 1864 d. 29 SEP 1923 bur. Vesper Cem., Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 7 AUG 1890 Christian Boyer Vesper b. 10 SEP 1849 d. 6 SEP 1916 bur. Vesper Cem., s. of Christian Vesper and Susanna Boyer.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

+59. Mabel Viola b. 9 SEP 1891 living June 1984.

+60. Hazel b. 26 MAY 1893 d. 14/15 DEC 1982.

+61. Glenn Gilbert b. 11 NOV 1901 living August 1983.

Christian Vesper had m/1 Jane Doty by whom there was no issue.

From an incomplete copy of his obituary, the survivors included children Mrs. Mabel Heifner, Hazel Hawks, one son Glenn, and one grandson Glen. In his early years, he united with the Lutheran Church in Mifflin and always remained a faithful christian, husband and father, who will be greatly missed. He also leaves two brothers, Geo. Vesper, Mt. Ridge, Kan., and A. A. Vesper, of Newton, Kans., and six sisters, Mrs. Sarah Peters, Butler, Mo., Mrs. C. C. Grunewald, Peabody, Kans., Mrs. S. B. Moyer and Mrs. Geo. Gerwig, of Harmony, Pa., Mrs. Lena Schuck and Mrs. Luther Bittinger, of this county.

Obituary: from unidentified newspaper

Mrs. Amanda Vesper died at Samaritan Hospital at 12:35 a.m. today, following an operation. She had been at the hospital since Wednesday.

The deceased was in her 60th year and had lived her entire life south of Steamtown on a farm between the two Mifflin roads. Her husband, Crist Vesper, preceded her in death about 7 years ago. She was a member of the United Brethren church at Mifflin. Mrs. Vesper is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Bia Heifner, south of Steamtown on the old Vesper farm, and Mrs. John Hawks, who lives on the King road south of Steamtown, and one son, Glen Vesper, at home.

She also leaves to mourn their loss, five brothers; George Koch of Walkerville,

Michigan; S. R. of Muskogee, Oklahoma; Isaiah, who resides on the Mansfield road; Josiah of Indiana and Martin of St. Joe, Indiana and two sisters, Mrs. Louisa Vesper of Hicksville, and Mrs. A. L. Byroades of Hicksville. She is also survived by six grandchildren.

17. ISAIAH C. KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 31 OCT 1866 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1960 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 29 JAN 1896 Catherine Kyle b. 24/28 APR 1874 Ohio d. 1940, her parentage not determined; she is bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 62. Myrtle Rhea b. 18 JUL 1896 d. 6 MAY 1961.
- +63. Helen M. b. 17 FEB 1898, living AUG 1983.
- +64. Ivan Dewey b. 24 OCT 1899 d. 1967.
- +65. Florene b. 19 JUN 1902 d. 14 MAY 1974.
- 66. Robert b. 15 DEC 1913 d. 6 MAY 1963
- +67. Anna Glorene b. 26 MAY 1907, living AUG 1983.
- +68. George Walton b. 25 JUL 1904 d. 28 SEP 1959.

Isaiah was a farmer in occupation.

18. SIMON ROMEO KOCH (Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 2 FEB 1869 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. MAY 1973 Oklahoma s. of Gottlieb Koch and Catherine Hault m. 28 FEB 1895 Millicent (Millie) Baker b. 9 AUG 1873 Mifflin, Ohio dau. of John Baker and -----.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +69. Virgil E. b. 22 DEC 1895.
- +70. Marguerite b. 1 MAY 1898 d. 30 MAR 1983.
- 71. Thelma M. b. 10 APR 1898/99 Ohio m. George Goodrich b. 1896. No issue. Resided at Parkhill, Oklahoma.

Simon Romeo Koch relocated with his parents from DeKalb Co., Ind. to Mifflin Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio 16 OCT 1872 where he resided until moving to Oklahoma in April, 1906 and settling in the city of Muskogee. He was a school teacher in occupation.

We are indebted to Simon Romeo for the paper he prepared for presentation at the first formal reunion of the Koch family which is reproduced as an introduction to the genealogy herein. We can judge to some degree from his paper the intelligence and educational qualities which he possessed.

21. WILLIAM KOCH (Simon, John U. Koch) b. 20 SEP DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 31 JUL 1901 bur Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of Simon Koch and Anna P. Kees m. 30/31 DEC 1873 Allen Co., Ind. to Caroline Volkert b. 25 OCT 1856/58 d. 1923 dau. of Fred Volkert and Kathryn -----; she is bur. Scipio Cem.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 72. Charles b. c.1874 Ind.
- 73. Alice Eva b. 8 NOV 1875 Ind. d. c.1895 Ae 18y 5m 20 (tuberculosis)
M. Olla Braybrook. No issue. He m/2 Gertie -----.
- +74. Lessie b. 23 JUL 1885 d. 29 DEC 1962.

Caroline m/2 28 MAR 1907 Allen Co., Ind. to Samuel J. Stiver. No issue.

William Koch was a farmer in occupation.

23. SARAH JANE KOCH (Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 FEB 1856 DeKalb Co., Indiana d. 14 APR 1922 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. dau. of Simon Koch and Anna P. Kees m. 7 MAY 1873 DeKalb Co., Ind. to George Washington Wade b. 7 DEC 1852 Sherlow, Paulding Co., Ohio d. 9 DEC 1917 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem. s. of Thomas N. Wade and Mary Clemens.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- 75. Inf. son b. & d. 12 DEC 1874.
- 76. Gertrude Naoma b. 21 FEB 1875 d. 1935 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. m. 19 JUN 1897 Emanuel George (Manny) Scott b. 23 JUN 1873 Hicksville, Ohio d. 4 APR 1952 Hicksville, Ohio s. of George W. Scott and Clara Brown; both bur. Forest Home Cem., Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio. No issue. Manny Scott's principal occupation was dray operator but he also was a painter. He m/2 to ----- Wickerham, a widow.
- 77. Myrtle Leona (Mertie) b. 6 DEC 1877 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 19 JAN 1937 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Michigan (apoplexy), bur. Hillsdale, Mich. m. 24/28 DEC 1895 Albert H. Cole b. 25 JUL 1873 d. 3 OCT 1938 Hillsdale, Mich., bur. Hillsdale, Mich. s. of James Newton Cole and Jane Hart. No issue. Albert was a machinist employed by the mfr. of Elmo small gasoline engines. Unable to cope with the loss of his beloved wife, he took his own life.
- +78. Bertha Mae b. 28 MAR 1879 d. 26 NOV 1934.
- +79. Roy L. b. 22 FEB 1881 d. 29 MAR 1949.
- +80. Lloyd Orlan b. 16 OCT 1882 d. 2 JAN 1937.
- +81. Stearl Earl b. 25 APR 1886 d. 17 JUN 1947.
- +82. Jessie Mabel b. 23 FEB 1889 d. 14 AUG 1942.
- 83. Harry O. b. 5 FEB 1889 d. AUG 1901.
- +80½. Clifford M. b. 24 JUN 1884 d. 17 SEP 1956.

All children were born at Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. where George Wade farmed and he and Sarah lived all of their married life with the exception of the last two years or so.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, April 20, 1922

Sarah Jane Koch was born in DeKalb County, Indiana, February 23, 1856, and departed this life on April 14, 1922, aged 66 years, one month and 22 days.

She was joined in marriage to Geo. W. Wade, May 7th, 1873, the husband pre-



Simon Romeo Koch (#18) & daus.
(L) Marguerite & (R) Thelma



Sarah Jane Koch (#23) & husb.
George W. Wade

ceding her in death of December 9, 1917. To this union was born 10 children, the first born dying in infancy. Those living are: Mrs. E. G. Scott, Hicksville, Ohio; Mrs. A. H. Cole, Hillsdale, Mich.; Mrs. H. A. Coburn, Auburn, Ind.; Mrs. C. O. Benjamin, Peru, Ind.; Roy, of St. Joe, Indiana; Lloyd, of Spencerville, Ind.; Clifford, Claypool, Ind.; Stearl, living near Hicksville, Ohio. One son, Harry, preceded the father and mother in death at the age of two years.

About thirty years ago both Mr. and Mrs. Wade joined the M. E. church at Spencerville. During the last five years of her life she was sorely afflicted, which cross she bore with patience to the end.

She is survived by four sons, four daughters, 25 grandchildren, one great-grandson, one sister, Mrs. Samantha Volkert, one brother, Albert Koch, with other relatives and friends.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, December 13, 1917

George Wade died Sunday forenoon at eleven o'clock at his residence just south of the B. & O. tracks of a complication of diseases. He leaves besides the widow, who is an invalid; four sons, Roy, of St. Joe; Lloyd, of Spencerville; Clifford of Meridian, Mich; and Stearl of Coburntown; and four daughters -- Mrs. Gertrude Scott and Mrs. Bertha Coburn, of Hicksville; Mrs. Myrtle Cole, of Hillsdale, Mich; and Mrs. Jessie Benjamin, of Grabill; also four brothers and one sister, all of whom reside in Michigan. Funeral was held from the home Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock. Interment in White City cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade became residents of St. Joe about two weeks ago, having moved here from their farm east of Spencerville.

24. SAMANTHA ANN KOCH (Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 AUG 1858 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 13 JUN 1939 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Simon Koch and Anna P. Kees m. c.1879 Joseph E. Volkert b. 12 AUG 1858 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. d. 10 MAY 1940 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Fred Volkert and Kathryn -----; he is also bur. Scipio Cemetery.

Children: (Surname VOLKERT)

- +84. Elmer Jasper b. 3 JUN 1880 d. 1970 bur. Quincy, Branch Co., Mich.
- 85. Millie M. b. 1881 (g.s.) d. 1966 (g.s.) bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. m. Charles E. Treace b. 1878 (g.s.) d. 1950 (g.s.) s. of George Treace and Christina McNamara; he is also bur. Scipio Cemetery. No issue.

Joseph Volkert was a life-long farmer in occupation, initially in DeKalb Co., Indiana and from NOV 1908 in Defiance Co., Ohio

26. ALBERT KOCH (Simon, John U. Koch) b. MAR 1868 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 1 JAN

1888 Defiance Co., Ohio by Rev. G. W. Dinins to Anna Alwilda Price b. FEB 1866 Ohio, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

86. Adda b. DEC 1888 Ind.

87. Mildred b. 5 JAN 1893 DeKalb Co., Ind.

In 1900, the family resided at Hicksville in Defiance Co., Ohio and some time later removed to Battle Creek, Michigan where Albert was employed in grounds maintenance by the Kellogg breakfast cereals company.

27. SARAH LOUSINDA (LUCINDA) KOCH (Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 16 JAN 1854 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 3 NOV 1944 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Joseph Koch and Mary Ann Jenkins m. 12 SEP (or 17 NOV) 1872 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. to John Geisinger b. 8 AUG 1846 Jackson Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 15 FEB 1940 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Samuel Geisinger and Charlotte Cobler.

Children: (Surname GEISINGER)

+88. Alfred (or Alford) J. b. AUG 1873 d. c.1932.

+89. Lewis N. b. MAY 1875 d. 20 JUL 1969.

+90. Inez P. b. JAN 1887.

The Geisinger family apparently was very popular with relatives and friends as attested by the frequent articles about them that appeared in issues of the St. Joe News over the years. Their longevity no doubt contributed somewhat to this popularity, especially in their later years. Their obituaries provide much of the desired information about John and Sarah for this genealogy.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, February 22, 1940

John Geisinger, 93, of Garrett, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. J. Brown, Garrett, Thursday morning at 6 o'clock. Mr. Geisinger, one of DeKalb County's oldest residents, suffered a stroke of apoplexy four weeks ago, which caused him to weaken gradually. The body was removed to the Gerig-Kaylor funeral home in Auburn Sunday, where the funeral services were conducted at 2 o'clock with the Rev. Joseph Ferguson officiating. Burial was made in Evergreen cemetery, Auburn.

John Geisinger was born August 8, 1846 in a log cabin located in the northeast corner of Jackson township. His father was Samuel Geisinger, a native of Pennsylvania, who came to Indiana about 1815, when Indians were still very numerous and wild game abounded in this territory.

Last September he and his wife, Mrs. Sarah Lucinda Geisinger, who survives, observed their sixty-seventh wedding anniversary. They were married September 17, 1872, in Concord township, and went to housekeeping in a log cabin. Mr. Geisinger was a farmer until about 1895 when he and his wife went to Auburn to live. Twenty-five years ago they moved to Garrett to reside with their daughter.

Until he suffered the stroke, Mr. Geisinger was remarkably agile for his years, walking uptown often in addition to working about the house. Although his hearing and sight had failed, he could hear well enough to carry on a conversation and could read with the aid of a reading glass.

Although in 1864 he cast his first presidential ballot for Abraham Lincoln, Mr. Geisinger voted the Democratic ticket afterwards. Mr. Geisinger attended the Church of Christ.

Survivors besides the widow, who is past eighty-six years of age, the son and the daughter, are four grandchildren, Berwyn Brown of Kalamazoo, Michigan, Earl Geisinger of Idaho, Mrs. Helen Hanselman of Fort Wayne, and Dorothy Brown of Garrett, and one great grandchild, Josephine Geisinger, a daughter of Earl Geisinger.

One son, Alfred, died in the State of Washington in 1932. The aged man had three brothers and three sisters, all of whom passed away after living to a ripe old age.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, November 9, 1944

PIONEER CITIZEN DIES AT AGE OF 90 YEARS. The death of Mrs. Sarah Geisinger, one of DeKalb County's oldest residents, took place at 8:15 o'clock Friday night at the home of Mrs. Savilla Miller, in Auburn.

Mrs. Geisinger was 90 years and nearly 10 months old and was in good health considering her extreme age until she suffered a stroke of apoplexy Tuesday, Oct. 31. The body was taken to the Gerig funeral home where services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Joseph Ferguson, of near Auburn, officiated and burial was made in Evergreen Cemetery, Auburn.

A native of DeKalb County, Mrs. Geisinger was born in a log cabin in Concord Township near St. Joe, Jan. 16, 1854, being one of 10 children. She and John Geisinger were married Sept. 12, 1872, and went to housekeeping in a log cabin. They lived on farms until 1895, when they located in Auburn. They moved to Garrett in 1915 to reside with a daughter, Mrs. E. J. Brown and family. Mr. and Mrs. Geisinger were married more than 67 years before his death Feb. 14, 1940. Mrs. Geisinger had resided in the home of Mrs. Miller in Auburn for the past year.

Surviving besides Mrs. Brown are a son, Dr. Lewis N. Geisinger, of Auburn; one brother, Charles Koch, of two and a quarter miles southwest of Garrett; two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Morr and Mrs. Frank Johnson, both of Albion; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

28. JOHN ULRICH KOCH (Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 30 JUN 1855 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 MAR 1935 Ae 79 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Joseph Koch and Mary Ann Jenkins bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. m. 17 FEB 1880 DeKalb Co., Ind. (at the home of the bride's parents) to Frances Matilda Shilling b. 13 SEP 1858 Ind. d. 19 FEB 1932 Ae 73 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Salomon Shilling and Esther Blyler.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+91. Pearl Mae b. 30 MAY 1884 d. 13 MAR 1908.

John Koch was a farmer in occupation and the family resided on a farm north of St. Joe, Ind. until about 1905 when they moved into town. The Golden Wedding Anniversary in 1930 was attended by a large number of relatives and friends, taken to be an indication of their popularity in the community and with relatives. Their granddaughter, Mrs. Vera Rosenbury was named sole heir of the estate.

An altercation occurred in 1921 between John Koch and his neighbor Abe Culbertson as a result of taking a cow to and from the pasture land which led to court action with the filing of charges and counter charges over the physical contact that took place. When finally resolved, a news article pointed out, "A noteworthy fact about the case is that both men are well up in years, being about sixty-six years old. They went to school together more than half a century ago and they are cousins by marriage." This rather minor incident is mentioned here only because it brings out an example of human shortcoming felt to be typical of mankind since the beginning of our existence.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, February 25, 1932

Frances Matilda Koch, daughter of Solomon and Esther Shilling, was born near Spencerville in DeKalb County, September 13, 1858. She departed this life on February 19, 1932 at the age of 73 years, 3 months and 6 days. At the age of 12 she entered upon a faithful Christian life. She joined the Concord Methodist Protestant Church at this time. Later her membership was transferred to the Fairview Methodist Protestant Church and then to the St. Joe Methodist Protestant Church.

On February 17, 1880 she married John U. Koch of St. Joe. This union was one of fifty-two years duration. One child, Pearl Mae, was born to them. This daughter preceded her mother in death. Mrs. Koch leaves to mourn their loss, one granddaughter, Mrs. Vera Rosenberry (sic), five brothers, one sister, three great grandchildren, and many other relatives and friends.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, April 18, 1935

John U. Koch died at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Waldo Rosenberry (sic), north of St. Joe, on Monday morning, following a stroke on Monday a week ago. Mr. Koch was 79 years, 9 months and 14 days old and was buried in Riverside cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. John Morr, of Albion, Mrs. Geisinger, of Garrett, and Mrs. Frank Johnson, St. Joe, and two brothers, Charles and Reuben Koch, of St. Joe.

29. REUBEN J. KOCH (Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 28 DEC 1857 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 MAY 1943 Ae 85 DeKalb Co., Ind. m/1 1 JAN 1879 by S. B. Ward to Harriet Viola Mathews b. SEP 1859 Ind. d. 19 APR 1918 Churubusco, Allen Co., Ind. bur. Auburn, Ind. dau. of Nathan Mathews and Marion Richmond. Reuben was the s. of Joseph Koch and Mary Ann Jenkins.



Samantha Ann Koch (#24) & husb.
Joseph Volkert w/ ch. Elmer J.
& Millie M.



Reuben J. Koch (#29) & friend
Miss Lancaster

Children: (Surname KOCH)

92. Inf. d. before 1900.

+93. Edna D. b. 10 JUN 1888 d. 16 FEB 1914.

Reuben Koch m/2 15 MAR 1919 DeKalb Co., Ind. by S. E. Slater, min. to Jane E. McDaniel b. 2 FEB 1858 Wilmington Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 4 JUN 1949 Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio (Ingleside Home) (Senility), her parentage not determined. No issue of this marriage.

Jane Koch had m/1 Frank Cosper by whom she had the following children (Surname COSPER):

- (1) Isaac.
- (2) I. Mildred who m. -----Veasey and resided at Cleveland, Ohio.
- (3) Paul.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, May 20, 1943.

A pioneer resident of Concord township, Reuben Koch, age 85, passed away at the DeKalb County Home, northwest of Auburn, at 1 o'clock Friday morning. He had been ill for a year and had been a patient at the infirmary for that period of time.

He was born Dec. 26, 1857, on the old Koch homestead, one mile west of Saylor's school house. He started farming and owned what is now the L. G. Fetters farm. He lived here many years, when he moved to Churubusco, where he lived 20 years. On returning to DeKalb County, he bought a small farm one and a half miles north of Concord, which he owned at the time of his death. He was a farmer by occupation.

Mr. Koch is survived by his widow, the former Mrs. Jane Cosper, of near Concord, mother of I. M. Cosper, of Auburn, and Paul Cosper, also of Auburn. A brother, Charles Koch, of Butler Center; and three sisters, Mrs. Frank Johnson, of near St. Joe, Mrs. John Moore (sic), of Albion and Mrs. Sarah Geisinger, of Garrett; and two grandchildren, Frank Moudy, of Ossian, and Lloyd Moudy, of Fort Wayne, also survive.

The aged man was a member of the Church of Christ at St. Joe.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, June 9, 1949.

Mrs. Jane Elizabeth Koch, 90, a resident nearly all her life of DeKalb County died at 1 a.m. Saturday in the Ingleside Home in Cleveland, Ohio. Death was attributed to senility. Mrs. Koch, wife of Reuben Koch, had resided at the Cleveland Home for six years, after the death of her husband.

Mrs. Koch was born Feb. 2, 1858 in Wilmington township. Her first husband and the father of her three children, the late Frank Cosper, died about 40 years ago. She married Mr. Koch, March 19, 1919. They lived on a farm northwest of St. Joe for many years. She was a member of the Church of Christ here.

Surviving are one son, Paul Cosper of Auburn, one daughter, Mrs. Mildred Veasey of Cleveland, Ohio; grandchildren, Dale Cosper of South Bend and Mrs. Thelma Carper of Auburn, and a brother Isaac McDaniel of east of Auburn.

Burial was made in the Woodlawn cemetery at Auburn.

30. JOHN WILSON KOCH (Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 15 OCT 1859 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 18 FEB 1926 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hosp.) bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Joseph Koch and Mary Ann Jenkins m. 13 APR 1884 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Christiana P. (Anna) Timmerman b. 22 SEP 1860 Ind. d. 26 FEB 1951 Ae 90 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Henry Anthony Timmerman and Mary Matilda Arnold.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+94. Beulah DeMerle b. APR 1885 DeKalb Co., Ind.

+95. Emmet LeRoy b. 21 JUL 1887 d. 1964.

News items appeared frequently in the St. Joe News reflecting the popularity of Wilson Koch (as he was commonly known) and wife Anna among members of the community and their relatives. He often was referred to as "Will" and, on occasion, mistakenly as "William."

Christiana P. (Anna) Timmerman Koch was a 7th generation descendant of the immigrant ancestor, Johan Jacob Zimmerman, as traced by her grandson, Richard T. Koch, an avid and capable genealogist in pursuit of his forbears. The surname "Zimmerman" was altered to "Timmerman" by the 4th generation descendant, Henry Lawrence Zimmerman/Timmerman, for whatever reason now remains a mystery, and his descendants are all known by the modified surname. The sister and four brothers of Henry Lawrence Timmerman, however, continued to use the original family name as have their descendants.

The following is a brief outline of Anna Koch's Timmerman ancestry:

- Gen. 1: Johan Jacob Zimmerman b. 1673 Ger. d. DEC 1710 Livingston Manor, Sullivan Co., NY m. 1691 - - - Jung ?. She m/2 in 1711 Conrad Schutz.
- Gen. 2: Jacob Zimmerman b. 1690/91 Ger. d. 1739 nr. St. Johnsville, Montgomery Co., NY m. c.1710 Anna Margareth Schutz b. 1693 d. 1734 dau. of Conrad Schutz and his first wife Anna Eichelbrenner.
- Gen. 3: Lawrence Zimmerman b. c.1753 d. 9 AUG 1781 m. 1749 Maria -- ? --.
- Gen. 4: Henry Lawrence Timmerman b. 1 JAN 1750 d. 11 OCT 1834 m/1 Anna Margaret Failing, no issue; m/2 26 OCT 1784 Elizabeth Keller b. c.1764/65 d. 27 SEP 1830.
- Gen. 5: Henry Timmerman b. 19 JUN 1787 d. 28 SEP 1855 m. Anna Broughton b. 26 NOV 1790 d. 13 FEB 1858.

Gen. 6: Henry Anthony Timmerman b. 12 MAY 1833 d. 13 OCT 1912 m. 24 DEC 1858
Mary Matilda Arnold b. 11 APR 1839 d. 7 MAY 1928.

Gen. 7: Christiana P. (Anna) Timmerman b. 22 SEP 1860 d. 26 FEB 1951 m. 13
APR 1884 John Wilson Koch b. 15 OCT 1858/59 d. 18 FEB 1926.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, February 25, 1926.

Wilson Koch was born in Concord Township, DeKalb Co., Ind. October 15, 1859, and departed this material life for the spiritual world at the Lutheran Hospital, Ft. Wayne, Ind., Feb. 18, 1926. He underwent an explorative operation for cancer of the stomach and could not survive the shock. Age 66 years, 4 months, 3 days.

Wilson was the third son of Joseph and Mary Ann and was one of a family of ten children -- six girls and four boys. Two of his sisters, Marguerette Stuzman and Ida Koch, one grandson, with his parents have preceded him into the spiritual world.

Wilson was a member of the Church of Christ at St. Joe for twenty-seven years, having united with the church under the pastorate of Harry Clark. He also was a member of the K. of P. lodge for many years and held various offices in this beloved lodge. By trade he was a fence erector and carpenter. He was a worthy citizen, a good kind neighbor and a loving husband and father.

He leaves to mourn his going, his wife, after a happy married life of nearly 42 years; and one son Roy and daughter Beulah, also five grandchildren, four sisters, three brothers, with a host of other relatives and friends.

31. ANNA KOCH (Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 14 MAR 1861 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 29 SEP 1931 near Reading, Hillsdale Co., Mich. (at the home of dau. Rayo) bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Joseph Koch and Mary Ann Jenkins m. 10 MAY 1885 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Henry Baker b. JAN 1852 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1915 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of James Baker and Barbara -----.

Children: (Surname BAKER)

- 96. Fred d. before 1893 Ae 6 days.
- +97. Walter J. b. 3 SEP 1893/94 d. 1971.
- +98. Rayo Dell b. AUG 1897.

An item in the St. Joe News dated December 1, 1921 stated, "On November 26 at the home of Walter Baker occurred the marriage of his mother Mrs. Anna Baker to Mr. Charles A. Adams of Mansfield, Ohio, Rev. C. O. Johnson officiating. The newlyweds will make their home at Concord." It is not known whether this marriage failed or what circumstances resulted in later news articles always referring to her as "Anna Baker" and her second husband is not mentioned in her obituary.

Reports indicated that her health began to fail in 1926 and in May, 1931 she

entered the hospital at Ann Arbor, Michigan where it was found necessary to amputate one leg. Her death in September of 1931 indicates that her affliction could not be remedied.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, July 1, 1915.

Henry Baker, the son of James and Barbara Baker, was born on a farm two miles northwest of Spencerville, DeKalb County, Indiana, Jan. 12, 1852. He was the fifth child of a family of nine children, consisting of six sons and three daughters. With his parents he moved from his birthplace northwest of Spencerville to the Baker farm, east of Concord, in the year 1869. He was married to Anna Koch, May 10, 1884, to which union two sons and one daughter were born; namely, Fred, Rayo Dell, and Walter. The oldest child, Fred, died when but six days old.

Mr. Baker spent his life in Concord Township. For a number of years he followed the carpenter trade, but in the year 1888 he bought the general store at Concord, which business he conducted the remainder of his life. Only a few weeks ago he placed the more active affairs of the store in the hands of John Draggoo and Walter Baker. For several months he had been in declining health and frequently said that "he was not long for this world." Two weeks ago, he with his companion enjoyed a week's vacation at Lake Wawasee. He returned home June 19. On Thursday, June 24, he was taken sick with acute indigestion and pronounced dilation of the stomach. His condition rapidly became worse on Friday and as a last resort an effort was made for a surgical operation early Saturday morning, but he died on the way to the hospital at Ft. Wayne, near the Wm. Stevick home, two miles west of Cedarville, Allen County, Indiana, June 26, 1915, at the age of 63 years, 5 months, and 14 days. His parents, one brother, three sisters and one son, previously mentioned, preceded him to the Great Beyond. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Baker; one daughter Mrs. John Draggoo; one son, Walter Baker; three grandchildren, four brothers, Daniel W. Baker and William Baker of this neighborhood; Joseph Baker of St. Paul, Minn.; and John Baker, of Auburn, Ind.; and a large number of relatives and friends.

No man in the Concord neighborhood will be missed more than Henry Baker. He had the esteem and confidence of those associated with him in business. Honesty in business transactions was the policy which he endeavored to practice. Hospitality was one of the admirable rules of his home-life. He had strong convictions concerning politics, religion and social life which he freely expressed. A man of many good qualities which we admire, and a man with his faults which he freely confessed. He was ever ready to help the poor, the needy and the afflicted. He was loved by his family and highly respected by his friends. A kind father and a faithful companion will never be forgotten by those who knew and loved him best. Last Friday afternoon he expressed his desire for and appreciation of the prayers of the pastor of this church. May the Lord bless and comfort the bereaved.

Funeral services were held from the Concord M. P. Church, Monday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock, Rev. J. C. McCaslin officiating, assisted by Rev. Streitenberger, of Whitehouse, Ohio. E. R. Kinsey, funeral director. Interment in the Riverside cemetery.

Anna Baker's passing was entirely unexpected and attributed to a heart attack rather than the disease that had brought on amputation of her leg some three months previously. She reportedly was active and ambitious to the last but she possibly had realized that her death might be sudden inasmuch as she had made all arrangements for her departure in every detail, and written out for her son to follow.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, October 8, 1931.

Anna Koch Baker was born in DeKalb County, near St. Joe, Indiana, March 14, 1861 to Joseph and Mary Ann Koch, and departed this life September 29, 1931, aged 70 years, 6 months and 15 days. Until her marriage to Henry Baker May 10, 1884 she lived three miles north of St. Joe on the Koch homestead. After her marriage she moved to Concord, where she lived until the death of her husband in 1915. She was the mother of three children, Fred, who died in infancy, Rayo Dell, wife of John Draggoo, of Reading, Michigan, and Walter J., of Spencerville, Indiana.

She confessed Christ as her Savior, and was baptized in her youth, identifying herself with the Methodist Church at Concord, where she was an active and willing worker, striving ever to show herself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed. As a friend and neighbor she was ever ready to share sorrow or joy, and it can truly be said of her that she rejoiced with those that did rejoice, and wept with those that wept. During the latter years of her life she lived in Fort Wayne, Indiana, leaving there, because of failing health, to make her home with her daughter in Reading, Michigan, at which latter home she was staying when the death angel came with her call, and she answered the summons "sustained and soothed by an unfaltering trust -- like one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him, and lies down to pleasant dreams." She leaves to cherish her memory, her son, Walter, daughter, Rayo, ten grandchildren, three sisters, Mrs. Sarah Geisinger of Garrett, Mrs. Lilly Dell Johnson of St. Joe, and Mrs. Mandy Morr of Albion, three brothers, John, Reuben and Charley Koch all of St. Joe, eleven nieces and nephews and a host of other relatives and friends. She was of a family of ten children, two sisters and one brother having preceded her in death.

35. CHARLES KOCH (Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 23 OCT 1869 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 7 FEB 1961 Ae 91 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Joseph Koch and Mary Ann Jenkins m. 7 MAY 1893 DeKalb Co., Ind. by J. H. Elson to Arline B. Curie b. MAY 1872 Ind. d. 23 OCT 1959 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Christian Curie and Katherine Royer.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

99. Opal Joy b. 18 DEC 1895 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 20 MAR 1914 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. See obit. which follows for details of her life.
100. J. Stanley b. 4 MAR 1898 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 MAY 1969 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hosp.) bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. m/1 and divd. 10 FEB 1929 Blanche L. Clouse; m/2 27 AUG 1930 Allen Co., Ind. Jessie Mills b. 26 MAY 1900 dau. of W. F. Mills and Clara Darling of near Fort Wayne, Ind. (Jessie had m. prev. and divd. 10 FEB 1929), J. Stanley and Jessie divd. AUG 1931; he then m/3 20 JUN 1935 Allen Co., Ind. to Eva M. Wolcott b. 29 FEB 1900 dau. of H. W. Wolcott and Anna

Sheets (Eva had m. prev. and divd. ----- Swank on 15 OCT 1932 after two children: Herschel and a dau. who m. Wayne Taylor). The names of any children born to J. Stanley Koch are unknown as well as other particulars but apparently there was at least one child since his obituary credits him with six grandchildren and five great grandchildren (or possibly these were children born by his various wives and their earlier husbands). In occupation J. Stanley was employed in 1922 by the Standard Oil Co. at Grabill, Ind. and later in 1922 by the Indian Gasoline and Oil Co. at Huntington, Ind. In July, 1925 he managed the Lincoln Oil business at Spencerville, Ind. and in November of that same year he moved to Fort Wayne, Ind. where he was employed as used car manager by a prominent auto dealership, Bueter Chevrolet Co.

+101. Joseph C. b. 23 MAR 1903.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, March 26, 1914.

Opal Joy Koch was born on December 18, 1895 on the J. D. Leighty farm north of St. Joe and died at the home of her parents in St. Joe, March 20, 1914, aged 18 years, 3 months and 2 days. She moved with her parents from the farm to St. Joe the fall following her birth and has been a continual resident of St. Joe until her death.

She received her education in the schools of St. Joe. Miss Jennie Dirrum being her first teacher, who recognized in Opal a bright and apt scholar and gave her parents many words of encouragement as to her future. She graduated at the age of fourteen from the Common School with Mr. John Reinoehl as teacher. Took her first year of High School work and commenced on second year when failing health compelled her to give up the work. This seemed to be her only real disappointment in life. Having to give up school she then turned her efforts to music, with Edna Koch as first instructor and Chastine Johnson as second. In this line she was apt as most of you know from her service to the Sunday School for over two years as organist. But again her poor health prevented her finishing her studies which she was always anxious to do.

She was engaged to become the wife of Roy Maxwell at an early date and found in his companionship comfort to the end. She leaves to mourn her departure the prospective husband, father, mother, two brothers, three grandparents, and many near relatives and a host of friends. Her last illness was of about four weeks duration which she met without a murmur. Parents and physicians exerted every effort with hope of her final recovery but her weak and frail constitution was not equal to the demands made upon it and she answered the call of her Creator to a home up higher Friday morning at 6:30. The funeral was from the Methodist Protestant church at 2 p.m. Sunday, conducted by Rev. J. C. McCaslin. Interment was at Riverside cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koch were prominent figures in the community life at St. Joe, Indiana and frequent news items in the St. Joe News mentioned their activities. For 47 years, they resided in the same house in St. Joe. For several years, he served on the town board and also was constable. In his early years, he operated

a business called "Koch's Place" and an ad in 1912 offered lunches with ice cream, soft drinks, cigars, tobacco, fresh fruits, candies, fine coated cookies, crackers, and some canned goods. He also owned and operated livery stables in St. Joe and Auburn. Trains were not available at many of the small towns in those days and Charley had a real "taxi service," making many trips taking people to and from various places.

There is no doubt but that his primary business interest always centered on the buying and selling of horses, borne out in the following items from the St. Joe News: (April 1922) "Chas. Koch has handled just 40 head of horses during the winter months. He, with the aid of his son, Stanley of Grabill, have made a business of buying and selling or trading of horses, and have had some mighty nice ones at times. I think Charley would rather have a fine team of steppers than all the automobiles Henry Ford produces in a year. He takes pride in it." And later (March 1929): "Chas. Koch reports an excellent sale of horses for the past year, handling 108 head, and last week he bought and sold 8 head, which is quite a record for a small town. Charles is a good judge of horses and with his knowledge he is able to go out and purchase just what his customers want. He also reports the sale of 8 horses to one man."

The reader may enjoy the news item appearing in 1936 which typifies the sort of reporting one might find only in a small town newspaper; "Chas. Koch tracked a rabbit last week from around his house to the pasture lot near his barn. He came upon the cottontail and as it circled around, Charley threw a club and killed it. That shows remarkable skill in throwing clubs. The little fellow was getting ready to sample the fruit trees."

About 1942, Charles and Arline purchased a farm west of Butler Center where they remained the balance of their lives. Shortly after this move, the St. Joe News reported that Charles was a rather frequent visitor in St. Joe and opined that; "Chas. didn't say but we think he gets homesick for St. Joe friends, the loafers bench downtown, and things in general here; so this is one way to overcome this dreaded malady."

In 1943, Charles and Arline celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary, featuring a family dinner followed by an open house period to welcome their many friends.

In October, 1949 when Charles reached his 80th birthday, it was reported that, "despite his age, Mr. Koch remains active. A great lover of horses, he has five saddle horses and two shetland ponies on his farm. He also has three cows, does all his own chores and because of Mrs. Koch's being afflicted with arthritis he assists her with most of the housework. He does not wear glasses, as his eyesight is excellent. He does not have a gray hair." At this time, Charles and his sister Amanda (Mrs. J. W. Morr) of Albion were the only survivors of a family of ten children born to their parents.

Arline reportedly was related to Pierre and Marie Curie, the renowned husband and wife chemists and physicists.

36. AMANDA MARGARET KOCH (Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 7 MAR 1872 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 19 AUG 1954 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Albion, Noble Co., Ind. dau. of Joseph Koch and Mary Ann Jenkins m. 1 JAN 1890/91 Dr. John W. Morr b. 2 NOV 1870 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. NOV 1952 bur. Albion, Noble Co., Ind. s. of George S. Morr and Rebecca Walter.

Children: (Surname MORR)

- 102. Grace b. 7 MAR 1891 d. 25 JUN 1892.
- +103. Mary Blanch b. 26 SEP 1893.
- +104. Justin Wheeler b. 12 MAY 1899 d. JUN 1978.

Most references state that only three children were born to this family but there are indications they had two additional, a son named Ogden and a daughter named Evaline. However, substantuating details are missing.

Dr. John W. Morr received his elementary education in the county schools of DeKalb County, from which he graduated in 1886, took a three-year's course in the Auburn (Ind.) high school, and then one year course in the Angola Normal School, after which, for one year, he engaged in the vocation of school teaching. He began to study medicine in 1889 under the tutorship of his uncle, Dr. Hull, of Hicksville, Ohio. In 1891 he matriculated at Fort Wayne Medical College, from which he graduated with first honors in surgery in 1894, taking a special course of one year in the latter branch of the profession. He first located for practice at Spencer-ville, Ind., remained one year, and in 1895 came to Albion, where his abilities met with flattering recognition and where he has established remunerative practice. Dr. Morr has also met with political favor and honor in Albion with the Democratic party. He is superintendent of the Albion Electric Light plant, city treasurer and chairman of the Noble county Democratic central committee serving in the last named capacity in 1900 during the campaign, with marked executive ability and recovering from the opposing party many important and responsible positions. He enjoys the distinction of being the youngest man that ever filled this chairmanship, as well as of being the youngest physician and surgeon in the county.

January 1, 1890, Dr. Morr was united in marriage to Miss Amanda Koch, also a native of DeKalb County, and a daughter of Joseph Koch, who was born in Germany (sic). To this union have been born three children: Mary Blanche and Justin Wheeler, the former born on September 26, 1893, and the latter May 12, 1899; the eldest child, Grace, born March 7, 1891, died June 25, 1892. Mrs. Morr was highly educated at Augurn, Ind., and was employed as a teacher at the date of her marriage. Dr. Morr is a member of the Indiana State Medical Society, the Noble County Medical Society and the DeKalb County Society; he is also a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, and the Modern Woodmen of America, and also of the ladies departments of each -- the Rebekahs, Rathbone Sisters, etc. The Doctor and his wife are members of the Evangelical Lutheran church, of which the Doctor is a member of the board of trustees. He has been very successful professionally and financially, and now owns several fine pieces of property in Albion, while the Koch family is equally fortunate at St. Joe, Ind.

The two preceding paragraphs are taken from Alvord's History of Noble County, Indiana by Samuel E. Alvord (1902).

After having resided in Albion, Ind. about nine years, Dr. Morr in 1903 opened the New Hope Hospital and served as president and physician in charge until the hospital ceased to operate after a few years. It is reported that in 1906 Dr. Morr was a candidate for Congress. During the year 1930, Dr. Morr was named surgeon for the B. & O. railroad. He was still actively practicing medicine as late as 1941.

The following news item appeared in the St. Joe News on October 4, 1905. It is presented here merely to report an incident indicative of the times that preceded the automobile as a principal means of conveyance:

"Dr. J. W. Morr of Albion well known in this county had a serious runaway Sunday. In oiling his buggy he failed to get one of the burrs on the front axle properly and after driving a short distance, the wheel came off letting the axle drop to the ground, throwing him out between the horse and the buggy. At the same time his wife, who was riding with him, grabbed the baby and attempted to jump, but her dress caught throwing her to the ground. This threw the baby which rolled ten or fifteen feet but escaped unhurt. The mother had only slight bruises but the doctor was very badly bruised and the flesh torn in a number of places. The horse ran several rods and was stopped by bystanders."

Many in older generations may recall that a "burr" was the common word used for a threaded part now popularly called a "nut." It is interesting to observe that a current Webster's dictionary no longer mentions the earlier application for a "burr."

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(L-R) Louisa Koch (#11), Mary
Jane Koch (#10) and Amanda M.
Koch (#16)



Mabel Viola Vesper (#59)

KOCH FAMILY

GENERATION FOUR

37. CLARA GERTRUDE KOCH (Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 22 OCT 1876 d. 18 MAY 1934 DeKalb Co., Ind. (suicide by hanging) bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Christian Koch and Margaret R. Shull m. 7 JUL 1901 DeKalb Co., Ind. William L. Smith b. 1878 d. AUG 1935 DeKalb Co., Ind. (auto-truck crash) bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of Ira Eugene Smith and Lois Darliska Moore.

Children: (Surname SMITH)

105. (AD) Ora (m) married and resided at Spencerville, Ind. Reported in 1934 to have had a daughter. (further details missing)

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, May 24, 1934.

Clara Gertrude, only daughter of Christian and Margaret Koch, was born in Spencer Township, DeKalb County, Indiana, October 22, 1876 and departed this life on May 18, 1934 at the age of 57 years, 6 months and 26 days.

At the age of 14 years she consecrated her life to the service of the Master, joined the M.E. Church at Spencerville and was a most devoted member until called home to her eternal reward.

On July 7, 1901 she was united in marriage to Wm. L. Smith and was a true affectionate companion.

From early childhood she was a constant sufferer from bodily ailments but these afflictions were borne bravely and cheerfully. Even tho frail of body yet her spirit soared to heights attained by only a few.

Her greatest joy was when she was serving others and many have been cheered along life's uneven pathway by her encouraging words and loving deeds.

She leaves to mourn her passing a patient, devoted husband; an adopted son, Ora, wife and daughter, of Spencerville; her one and only brother, John C. Koch, of Spencerville, a great number of relatives and a wide circle of friends.

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Spencerville M. E. church, Rev. Studebaker and Rev. H. J. Brown, officiating. Burial was made at Spicio, directed by Mayola Kinsey & Son.

38. JOHN CLARK KOCH (Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 10 JUL 1881 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 OCT 1957 Ae 76 (suicide by shooting) DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. s. of Christian Koch and Margaret R. Shull m. 19 OCT 1901 Allen Co., Ind. Bettie D. Webb b. 1882 d. 17 JUL 1957 DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem. dau. of John Webb and Matilda Getz.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +106. Otis D. b. 3 MAR 1902 d. 25 JUL 1962.
- +107. Virgil F. b. 18 JAN 1905 d. 10 SEP 1972.
- +108. Marguerite b. 25 JUN 1908, d. 14 AUG 1950/51.

From the History of DeKalb County, Indiana (1910)

JOHN C. KOCH.

Among the honorable and influential citizens of DeKalb county, Indiana, is the subject of this review, who has here maintained his home for many years, winning a definite success by means of the agricultural industry, to which he has devoted his attention during the years of an active business life. His career has been without shadow of wrong or suspicion of evil, and thus he has ever commanded the confidence and esteem of his fellow men.

John C. Koch is a native of DeKalb county, Indiana, where he has spent his entire life. He was born on July 10, 1881, the son of Christian and Margaret R. (Shull) Koch, the former of whom also was born in DeKalb county. His gr. father, Gottlieb Koch, who was a native of Ohio, came to Indiana in an early day, settling on the farm now owned by the subject of this sketch, having entered the land from the government. To the clearing and improvement of this farm he devoted his early years and succeeded to a degree not fully appreciated by one who has never seen the land, for it is now numbered among the choice farms of this locality. The subject's father followed farming during all his active years and was long numbered among the well known and influential citizens of this locality. He had two children, the subject of this sketch and an older sister, Gertrude, who became the wife of William Smith, of Allen county, this state. He owned one hundred and twenty acres of land and was numbered among the successful farmers of DeKalb county.

The subject of this sketch attended the common schools of Spencer township during his youth and upon the completion of his education he took up the vocation of teaching, which he followed for five years. He then returned to the line of work to which he had been reared, that of agriculture, and has continuously followed this calling to the present time, operating, as before stated, the farm which his grandfather entered from the government. Mr. Koch carries on a diversified system of agriculture, raising all the crops common to this locality and also gives some attention to the raising of livestock, which he has found to be a valuable adjunct to successful farming. The comfortable and spacious residence, the commodious and well arranged barns, well kept fences and other up-to-date features about the place indicate that the owner is a man of good judgment and modern ideas, and in the operation of his farm he is not slow to adopt new plans and methods when their feasibility has been demonstrated by experience to be better than old ways.

On October 19, 1901, Mr. Koch married Betty Webb, the daughter of John and Matilda (Getz) Webb, the former of whom was a native of Allen county, Indiana, where his forebears had been early settlers. The latter's parents came from Germany to this country, making their settlement in Allen county, where they were numbered among the solid and substantial citizens of their community. To Mr. and Mrs. Koch have been born three children: Otis, born in 1902; Virgil, born in 1905, and Marguerite, born in 1908.

Politically, Mr. Koch is a staunch supporter of the Republican party, in the success of which he is actively interested. He is known to all who have formed his

acquaintance to be a man of genuine worth and integrity, scrupulously honest in all his dealings with his fellow men, and he and his family are highly respected and have hosts of friends throughout the community where they live.

At the Koch family reunion held in August, 1939, John C. Koch was chosen to be president for the following year.

The St. Joe News reported on 23 OCT 1941, "Double Wedding Anniversary Observed;" the occasion being the fortieth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Koch which coincided with the sixth wedding anniversary of their son Virgil and his wife, thus giving rise to the double celebration.

39. REUBEN KOCH (George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 30 AUG 1879 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 3 SEP 1942 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. s. of George W. Koch and Hannah Opple m. 22 JUN 1901 at Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. to Addie Belle Duprey b. 22 MAY 1885 Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 3 AUG 1969 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of Peter Duprey and Mary Troop.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 109. Alice Maude b. 5 AUG 1902 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. d. 1972 Chicago, Cook Co., Ill. m/1 Roy Lemont and m/2 Stephen Neugebauer. No issue of either marriage.
- 110. Florence Emma (Anna) b. 22 MAY 1904 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. d. 7 SEP 1905 same place (cholera).
- +111. Arthur b. 26 FEB 1906 d. 28 JUN 1945.
- +112. Luella Mae b. 28 OCT 1907.
- 113. Virgil b. 15 FEB 1909 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. d. 25 FEB 1909 same place (premature birth).
- 114. Flora Eleanor b. 26 FEB 1910 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. m/1 25 JUL 1942 and divd. Raymond Sanders m/2 JAN 1963 Joseph Franklin Sanders.
- +115. George Peter b. 19 NOV 1912.

From the Opple-Koch record:

Reuben Koch the oldest child of George and Hannah (Opple) Koch was just a small boy when his parents moved the family to Michigan. He was educated at the nearby Allen Creek School, a small one room building. Hannah had taught the children to speak German and when Reuben started school he could not speak English.

At the age of twenty two he married a young girl of French nationality, Addie Belle Duprey. Altogether, they had seven children, 3 boys and 4 girls. Reuben had grown up working and helping his father on their farm. After his marriage, he took up general farming across the road and slightly east of his parents' homestead. During the early 1900's Reuben and his brothers helped their father build a large new home for Hannah. It was a large two story house with a wing to one side. After Reuben and Belle separated, the girls, Alice, Luella, and Flora lived with their mother and moved to Chicago. The boys stayed with their father. Belle later married a Mr. Lamphier.

Reuben was a small man with reddish hair and a hot temper which cooled quickly. When the boys grew a bit older, Reuben took them to the Upper Peninsula of Michigan where he worked in the logging camps. They moved around there, living at various times in Singleton, Wetmore, Munising, Manistique and Limestone.

Just after his 63rd birthday, Reuben was killed when he fell from a logging truck as logs rolled from the stack and the truck ran over him. He died in Marquette County Hospital. His body was brought back to Oceana County and he was buried in Colfax Cemetery, Colfax Township.

41. FRANK BENJAMIN KOCH (George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 6 SEP 1884 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. d. 5 JAN 1975 Walkerville, Oceana Co., Mich. bur. Fairlawn Cem., Walkerville, Mich. s. of George W. Koch and Hannah Opple m. 6 JUL 1910 to Elsie Dolph b. 3 MAY 1892 Mich. d. 31 MAR 1977 Walkerville, Oceana Co., Mich. bur. Fairlawn Cem., Walkerville, Mich. dau. of Edson Dolph and Sarah Sweet.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+116. Ruth Gertrude b. 11 JUN 1920.

+117. Carl b. 28 OCT 1926.

From the Opple-Koch record:

Frank Benjamin Koch was born in Newaygo County, Michigan and is the third son of George and Hannah (Opple) Koch. Shortly after he was born, his family purchased land in section 23 of Oceana County. The family spoke German as their first language in the home with the youngsters learning English as they grew older and went to school. He attended Allen Creek School.

Frank shared the farm duties, learning as he grew the rudiments of farming. He helped his father in the fields and in the barn. While he was still single, he purchased his own farm from the C. A. Woodworth estate..

Frank was a small man, perhaps 5'6" or 7" and weighed about 140 lbs. He enjoyed some hunting and fishing in the woods and lakes nearby. In 1910, he married the lovely Elsie Dolph. They had one daughter and one son. Elsie shared her husband's work, spending time in the fields and garden. They raised cattle, hogs, corn and other grain. The farm was ½-mile east of this father's farm, containing 120 acres. In 1941 or 1942, he purchased his first tractor.

Frank was always busy, always working and smoked a pipe incessantly. After more than 50 years of farming, he and Elsie sold their farm in 1964 and moved to the village of Walkerville near their daughter Ruth. They are buried in Fairlawn Cemetery in Walkerville.

43. ORA GEORGE KOCH (George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 8 NOV 1891 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. d. 16 JUL 1959 Fowlerville, Livingston Co., Mich. (lung cancer) s. of George W. Koch and Hannah Opple m/1 24 DEC 1912 at Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. and divd. Iva E. Nelson b. 1896 Mich. dau. of Henry Nelson and Alla Fuller.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

118. Vernon b. 19 SEP 1917 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. He attended college and served in the USAF during WWII as a pilot. He is reported to have married and had two children but details for this record are missing.

Ora Koch m/2 on 16 JUL 1930 to Margaret Power Hanson of Norway, Mich.

From the Opple-Koch record:

Ora George Koch, youngest child of George Koch and Hannah Opple was born on the family homestead and attended local schools. Colfax Township and Oceana County were notably rural with logging and farming being the main occupations at the turn of the century. Ora shared the work of the farm and enjoyed boxing as a pastime.

Ora taught school at Ruby Creek and while teaching met and married one of his students, Iva Nelson. They lived in Oceana County and had one son, Vernon. When they divorced, Vernon remained with his mother. Ora married again on 16 JUL 1930 to Margaret Power Hanson of Norway, Michigan.

Ora was a graduate of Ferris School of Business Administration. He led an active life, holding many different positions. He was employed in the northern forests, was a bank cashier and a former partner of the Wigglesworth & Koch grain elevator 35 years near Fowlerville, Livingston County where he owned a peppermint farm.

Ora died at the age of 67 years of lung cancer. His body was taken to Norway, Michigan for interment.

44. JESSIE C. KOCH (Josiah, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 29 NOV (family record) or 6 DEC (DeKalb Co. record) 1885 dau. of Josiah Koch and Lucy F. Headley m. 8 MAR 1906 at Defiance Co., Ohio by Grant W. Speer to Wayne K. Hughes b. 10 MAR 1884 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of W. O. Hughes and Mary Hilliard.

Children: (Surname HUGHES)

119. Mary b. 21 APR 1908 m. Albert Larkin.
120. Vance.

At the time of marriage, Wayne Hughes' occupation was given as merchant.

46. GEORGE C. BYROADE (Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 12 MAR 1882 Allen Co., Ind. d. 5 MAR 1975 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of Alfred L. Byroade and Mary Jane Koch m. 18 DEC 1907 Defiance Co., Ohio by J. F. Miller, min. to Harriett C. Heckerman b. 20 MAR 1891 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio d. 7 JUL 1941 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Daniel H. Heckerman and Lillie Crowl.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

+121. Mable Beatrice b. 28 SEP 1908.

Obituary: Fort Wayne Journal Gazette; Thursday, March 6, 1975.

GEORGE BYROADE RITES SATURDAY.

Services for George Byroade, 92, of Colonial Crest Nursing Home, a retired horse trainer who was recognized worldwide as a rider, trainer and judge in harness racing circles, will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in D. O. McComb & Sons Lakeside Park Funeral Home. He died at 4:10 a.m. yesterday in the nursing home.

He was a racer of trotter and pacing horses for 50 years, driving his final race at age 86. Mr. Byroade, a native of Allen County, owned the world champion harness racing horse of 1937. He worked on the movie, "Back Home in Indiana" as a stand-in for Ward Bond.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Mabel Nevling, Fort Wayne, and a brother, Ernest, Woodburn.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at the funeral home. Burial will be in Scipio Cemetery.

47. ERNEST C. BYROADE (Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 30 MAY 1884 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 MAR 1981 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of Alfred Byroade and Mary Jane Koch m. 10 NOV 1903 at Allen Co., Ind. to Carrie A. Mettert b. 14 OCT 1886 Maumee Twp., Allen Co., Ind. d. 1 NOV 1973 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. bur. North Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Henry Mettert and Sarah Gustin.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

122. Charles Lester b. 18 MAR 1904 Scipio Twp., Allen Co., Ind. d. 4 SEP 1945 Lake Gage, Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. m. 19 MAR 1925 at Woodburn, Allen Co., Ind. by E. J. Oyer and divd. 23 MAR 1932 Esther Becker b. c.1899 Ill. dau. of Henry Becker and Mary Ehrman; m/2 34 JUL 1932 at Allen Co., Ind. to Lula Stackman (she m. prev. - - - Haiflich) b. 17 NOV 1900 Ind. dau. of Lewis Stackman and Mary Wilcoxson; m/3 on 13 DEC 1938 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by Leo H. Miller to Leona Ruth Kerr (she m. prev. - - - Nelson) b. 2 SEP 1911 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Charles Warren Kerr and Gertrude Ruth Sutler; m/4 after 1938 to Marie - - - who later m. - - - Bruggencate and died 1966. No issue from any of these marriages but it is understood that there were step-children from the wives' previous marriages. In occupation, Charles was a bus driver in 1925, a grocery employe in 1938, and a Fuller Brush salesman at the time of his death.

+123. Alta Marie b. 20 OCT 1906 d. 24 NOV 1964.

+124. Henry Alfred b. 24 JUL 1913.

Obituary: Fort Wayne Journal Gazette; Friday November 2, 1973.

CARRIE BYROADE DIES: MOTHER OF AMBASSADOR.

Services for Mrs. Carrie A. Byroade, 87, Woodburn, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the United Methodist Church in Woodburn. Mrs. Byroade died at 2 p.m. yesterday at Parkview Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Byroade was a lifelong resident of Allen County. Next week was to have been her 70th wedding anniversary.

Survivors include her husband, Ernest; a son, Henry, the newly-appointed U. S. ambassador to Pakistan, now residing in Washington, D. C.; two brothers, Mark Mettert, Antwerp, and Thomas Mettert, Woodburn, and a sister, Mrs. Nola Raumbaugh, Fort Wayne.

Calling will be after 2 p.m. today at the Schlib Funeral Home in Antwerp, Ohio. Burial will be in North Scipio Cemetery.

Obituary: Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; Wednesday, March 4, 1981.

ERNEST C. BYROADE.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Pauley-Schilb Funeral Home, Antwerp, Ohio, for Ernest C. Byroade, 96, a retired farmer who was a lifelong resident of Scipio Township.

Mr. Byroade, who died Monday night in Fort Wayne Healthcare Center, is survived by a son, Henry C., Washington, D. C.

Calling is today. Burial will be in Scipio Township. Preferred memorials are gifts to Woodburn United Methodist Church.

49. RAYMON C. (RAY) BYROADE (Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 22 DEC 1891 Scipio Twp., Allen Co., Ind. d. 23 AUG 1959 Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of Alfred L. Byroade and Mary Jane Koch m. 8 FEB 1911 Defiance Co., Ohio by C. E. Maxwell, J.P. to Ethel L. Kemerer b. 27 JUL 1893 Crane Twp., Paulding Co., Ohio d. 12 DEC 1950 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of William Kemerer and Minnie Keene.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

+125. Kenneth D. b. 7 MAR 1913 d. 19 FEB 1956.

+126. Lela Marie b. 8 JUN 1914 d. 24 NOV 1961.

+127. Walter William b. 12 JUN 1916 d. 12 JAN 1913.

Raymon's name often has been given in error as "Raymond." In occupation, he was a farmer

50. HARLEY ALDEN BYROADE (Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 13 MAY 1894 d. 10 OCT 1966 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) s. of Alfred L. Byroade and Mary Jane Koch m. 3 JUN 1917 at Defiance Co., Ohio to Bonnie Laurie Slesman b. 25 JUL 1898 dau. of Samuel Howard Slesman and Blanche Celia Ridenour.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

- +128. Alvin LeRoy b. 30 AUG 1918.
- +129. Delmar Marcile b. 19 MAR 1920.
- +130. Deloris Maxine b. 19 APR 1922.
- +131. Doris Irene b. 20 MAY 1923.

Obituary:

Fort Wayne Journal Gazette; Tuesday 11 OCT 1966.

Harley A. Byroade, 72, died yesterday at Lutheran Hospital.

He was a native of Scipio Township and had lived in Fort Wayne since 1922. A self-employed truck driver, he retired a year ago. He was a veteran of WWI and was a member of the Fort Wayne Gospel Temple.

Surviving are his wife, Bonnie L., two sons, Alvin L., Fort Wayne, and Delmar M., New Haven; two daughters, Mrs. Deloris McCoy, Columbia City, and Mrs. Doris Miller, Fort Wayne; two brothers, Ernest, Woodburn, and George, Fort Wayne; 10 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

52. HERMAN VESPER (Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 21 APR 1883 d. 27 APR 1959 Seattle, Wash. bur. Washington Memorial Cem., Seattle, Wash. s. of Michael Vesper and Louisa Koch m. prob. c.1910 Edith Stipp b. c.1885 d. 29 SEP 1955 Seattle, Wash. bur. Washington Memorial Cem., Seattle, Wash. dau. of Francis Marion Stipp.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

- +132. Kenneth M. b. 29 APR 1911.
- 133. Helen L. b. 26 JAN 1916 Wapato, Wash. m/1 9 SEP 1950 Seattle, Wash. to Leon Henry Maurer b. 10 SEP 1911 Rugby, North Dakota d. 14 SEP 1982 Seattle, Wash. s. of Albert Maurer and Bessie Eugenia Harroun. Helen m/2 on 29 SEP 1961 Seattle, Wash. and divd. Howard Kent Beck b. 24 NOV 1918 Molalla, Ore. d. 16 FEB 1973 at Merced, CA s. of Walter A. Beck and Agnes Robbins. No issue of either marriage. Helen was employed as a keypunch operator and pursued a business career 1935 through 1975 except for her two brief marriages.
- +134. Herman Junior b. 24 AUG 1917.

53. CLARENCE VESPER (Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 20 APR 1885 d. 6 JUL 1956 bur. Spokane, Wash. s. of Michael Vesper and Louisa Koch m. 3 JUL 1910 Hazel Webster b. 30 APR 1890 living SEP 1983 at Renton, Wash. dau. of Lawrence Webster and Ruhaime Estelle Butler.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

- +135. Vesta b. 19 MAR 1911.

56. MARY JANE KOCH (Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 6 JAN 1901 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 25 JUL 1981 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Martin L. Koch and Martha T. Johnson m. 19 AUG 1922 at DeKalb Co., Ind. by E. E. Trippeer to Henry Allen Walter, Jr. b. 18 SEP 1896, predeceased his wife, s. of Henry A. Walter and Samantha Alice Davis.

Children: (Surname WALTER)

- +136. Robert Henry b. 29 NOV 1922 d. 8 DEC 1949.
- 137. Lillian Beverley b. 10 MAY 1926 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 12 JUN 1946 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Allen Emenhiser b. 20 OCT 1922 Allen Co., Ind. d. 14 NOV 1976 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (St. Joseph Hospital) s. of Charles Emenhiser and Ruth Irene Heckler. He was employed by Essex Wire Corp. of Fort Wayne, Ind. and also farmed. Lillian is employed by Commercial Shearing at Butler, Ind. No issue.
- +138. Max Eugene b. 4 MAY 1928.
- +139. Chalmer Elwood b. 4 DEC 1929.
- +140. Sharon Louise b. 24 NOV 1933.
- +141. Vance DeLoy b. 18 JUN 1936.

The last-named son above chooses to use the surname "WALTERS" instead of "WALTER" which can be somewhat confusing inasmuch as another family residing in the Coburntown area of DeKalb Co., Ind. and believed to be unrelated to this "Walter" family does use the "WALTERS" surname altogether.

59. MABEL VIOLA VESPER (Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 9 SEP 1891, living SEP 1984 dau. of Christian Vesper and Amanda Koch m. 21 JUL 1912 Bia E. Heifner b. 13 MAR 1887 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio d. 24 JAN 1942 Ashland, Ohio (diabetes) s. of Jesse Heifner and Mary Elizabeth Good.

Children: (Surname HEIFNER)

- +142. Mildred V. b. 10 DEC 1913 d. 27 JAN 1981.
- +143. Cleo M. (Jim) b. 4 OCT 1915.
- +144. Bonita G. b. 4 SEP 1921.
- +145. Wilma b. 14 OCT 1923.

Bia Heifner had m/1 (name not given) by whom there were the following children:

- (1) Mabel, who m. - - - Carpenter. Res. Hayesville, Ohio.
- (2) Milton. Res. Jeromesville, Ohio.

On the occasion of her 90th birthday, Mabel Heifner was honored at an open house held at Ashland, Ohio and the local newspaper carried an article on the event which included the following, "Mrs. Heifner enjoys excellent health and spends much time sewing, doing crewel embroidery and writing letters. She can still read a newspaper without glasses. An active member of the Clear Creek Church of Christ, she attends services nearly every Sunday. In 1974 she was honored as the Times-Gazette Mother of the Year."

Mabel shares the home of daughter Wilma and husband Joe Pinckley and performs a fair share of the household chores including the preparation of meals.

In occupation, Bia Heifner worked for some years as a butcher and later as a core maker in a brass and gray iron foundry located in Ashland, Ohio where the family always resided.

60. HAZEL VESPER (Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 26 MAY 1893 d. 14/15 DEC 1982 dau. of Christian Vesper and Amanda Koch m. John Hawks b. 18 FEB 1886, his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname HAWKS)

- +146. Evelyn b. 10 FEB 1917.
- 147. Anna Mae b. 6 AUG 1919 m. Melvin Bricker who deceased. No issue.
- 148. Laura Belle b. 27 MAR 1923 m/1 Melvin Wells who deceased and m/2 Fred Jenny. No issue of either marriage.
- +149. Bessie b. 12 JAN 1925.

As a child, Hazel Vesper's family spoke only German in their home with the result that she was unable to speak English at the time she first enrolled in school. This was reportedly a common practice among families of recent German immigrants.

61. GLENN GILBERT KOCH VESPER (Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 11 NOV 1901 living AUG 1983 s. of Christian Vesper and Amanda Koch m. 1923 Grace Rholetter b. 25 APR 1901 dau. of David Rholetter and Sylvia Giffin.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

- +150. Harold b. 1 JUN 1925.
- 151. Edgar b. 29 OCT 1927 d. c.1958 (burned in truck accident) bur. Vesper Cem., Ashland Co., Ohio.

Glenn Vesper was employed by the Tappan Stove Co. at Mansfield, Ohio. For some years, he has been in very poor health.

63. HELEN M. KOCH (Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 17 FEB 1898 living 1983 dau. of Isaiah Koch and Catherine Kyle m. AUG 1917 Ashland, Ohio to Lewis Murry Jr. b. 12 APR 1896 d. 27 SEP 1918 in France during WWI bur. in France s. of Lewis Murry.

Children: (Surname MURRY)

- +152. Helen Virginia b. 20 APR 1918.

Helen Murry resides at Ashland, Ohio.

64. IVAN DEWEY KOCH (Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 OCT 1899 d. 1967 s. of Isaiah C. Koch and Catherine Kyle m. and divd. Goldie Bell, her dates and parentage not given. He is bur. in the Brethren Church Chestnut Grove Cem., Ashland, Ohio.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 153. Geraldine, m. John Miller.

Ivan D. Koch was a resident of Mansfield, Ohio prior to his decease.

65. FLOREN KOCH (Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 19 JUN 1902 d. 14 MAY 1974 bur. Brethren Church Chestnut Grove Cem., Ashland, Ohio s. of Isaiah C. Koch and Catherine Kyle m/1 prob. c.1921 to Mary Elizabeth Ludwig b. 1 FEB 1902 d. 3 JUN 1926 bur. Chestnut Grove Cem., Ashland, Ohio, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

154. Betty Margaret b. 2 SEP 1922.

Floren Koch m/2 Mabel Baldwin about whom nothing further is known. No issue.

He m/3 in 1944 Virginia Haderman, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

155. Katherine (Kathy) b. 10 JUN 1947.

156. David b. 3 MAY 1950.

157. Robert b. 10 FEB 1945.

67. ANNA GLORENE KOCH (Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 26 MAY 1907 living 1983 at Ashland, Ohio dau. of Isaiah C. Koch and Catherine Kyle m. 15 JUN 1929 at Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio to Clarence Spencer b. 5 MAR 1891 Sullivan, Ashland Co., Ohio d. 22 MAR 1963 bur. Sullivan Cem., Ashland Co., Ohio s. of Enoch Herschel Spencer and Mary Adeline Long.

Children: (Surname SPENCER)

+158. John Milton b. 21 APR 1930.

158½. Robert Allen b. 11 APR 1932 at Ashland, Ohio m. 20 JUN 1953 to Charlene Ruth Innes.

+159. David Lee b. 16 FEB 1939.

Glorene, as she is commonly known, resides at Ashland, Ohio.

68. GEORGE WALTON KOCH (Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 JUL 1904 Ashland Co., Ohio d. 28 SEP 1959 bur. Brethren Church Chestnut Grove Cem., Ashland, Ohio s. of Isaiah C. Koch and Catherine Kyle m. 14 DEC 1932 New Castle, Lawrence Co., Pa. to Helen Kaufman b. 28 DEC 1913 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio living 1984 dau. of Ora Emity Kaufman and Elysabeth Noogle.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+160. Lila May b. 25 MAY 1933.

+161. George Walton Jr. b. 24 JUL 1935.

+162. Ora Isaiah b. 11 APR 1937.

+163. Peggy Nina b. 26 JAN 1939.

+164. Patsy Carol b. 18 MAR 1941.

+165. Richard Milton b. 7 MAY 1943.

+166. Ralph Mitchell b. 29 JAN 1945.

- +167. Douglas Dale b. 27 MAR 1947.
- 168. Clayton Lee b. 1 FEB 1950 Ashland Co., Ohio. unm. SEP 1984.
- 169. Bonnie Jo b. 7 FEB 1952 Ashland Co., Ohio, m/1 2 APR 1971 Mike Armbruster & divd., m/2 11 JAN 1978 Clair (Bud) Bush b. 23 JUL 1951.
No issue of either marriage. Res. Oakdale, Mass.
- +170. Jerry Eugene b. 26 APR 1954.
- +171. Joy Lynn b. 10 AUG 1956.
- 172. Terry Dean b. 12 JUN 1958. unm. SEP 1984.

Helen Koch is a resident of Ashland, Ohio.

69. VIRGIL E. KOCH (Simon R., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 22 DEC 1895 s. of Simon Romeo Koch and Millicent Baker m. Georgianna Moyer, her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 173. Myrel b. 27 FEB 1925, m. William O'Dell. Resides in the home of her grandfather Koch at Muskogee, Oklahoma. Further details missing due to lack of response to queries.
- 174. Mildred b. 12 AUG 1926.

70. MARGUERITE KOCH (Simon R., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 1 MAY 1898 d. 30 MAR 1983 Muskogee, Okla. bur. Muskogee m. prob. c.1923 Earl Harper b. 19 MAR 1894, his date of death and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HARPER)

- +175. Earl, Jr. b. 1 MAY 1924.

Marguerite Harper possessed a photograph album handed down from her father which probably contained many pictures of Koch family members in earlier generations.

74. LESSIE KOCH (William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 JUL 1885 Allen Co, Scipio Twp., Ind. d. 29 DEC 1962 same place bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of William Koch and Caroline Volkert m. 23 APR 1907 Allen Co., Ind. to Veronica (Nettie) Hinen b. c.1886 Allen Co., Ind. d. 10 APR 1919 (Ae33) Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (St. Joseph Hospital) bur. Pleasant Twp., St. Aloysius Catholic church cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Frank Hinen and Theresa Wilkie.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +176. Marie b. 15/16 NOV 1907.
- +177. Wilbur Francis b. 11 MAR 1909 d. 18 JUN 1976.
- +178. Marceline Theresa b. 12 MAR 1914.
- +178½. George b. 10 APR 1917.

Lessie Koch attended Normal School at Valpraiso, Indiana and then taught school for some years, afterward devoting his efforts to farming in Allen Co., Ind. His farm property has remained in the family and is now in the possession of son George Koch.

At the Koch reunion held at Eckhart Park in Fort Wayne, Ind. on 20 AUG 1931, Lessie Koch was chosen vice president for the following year's reunion.

78. BERTHA MAE WADE (Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 28 MAR 1879 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 27 NOV 1934 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio (at the home of son Lloyd) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George W. Wade and Sarah J. Koch m. 30 JUL 1895 Harmon Adelma Coburn b. 23 MAY 1873 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 7 MAR 1923 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of William R. Coburn and Cynthia Lovesta Gee.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- +179. Lloyd L. b. 14 APR 1896 d. 15 JUN 1979.
- +180. Audrey Eunice b. 18 APR 1898, living 1984.
- +181. Estel Lee b. 12 OCT 1899 d. 2 APR 1980.
- +182. Pauline Edith b. 27 AUG 1904 d. 15 AUG 1959.
- 183. William Riley II b. 25 NOV 1907 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 18 NOV 1968 m. 12 DEC 1927 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio Margaret Easterlin b. 9 SEP 1904 Monroeville, Huron Co., Ohio, living 1984, dau. of August Andrew Easterlin and Lisette Freida Janette Kimpel. No issue. William was employed as office clerk by the B & O Railroad. He is bur. Monroeville, Ohio. William and Margaret were members of the Presbyterian church at Willard, Ohio.
- +184. Georgia Mae b. 17 FEB 1910 d. 6 NOV 1979.

See the obituary of Harman Adelma Coburn recorded elsewhere in this Volume with genealogical data on the COBURN FAMILY.

Obituary: Garrett Clipper; December 3, 1934.

Bertha Mae Wade, daughter of George W. and Sarah Jane Koch, was born March 28, 1879 in Spencer township, DeKalb county, Indiana, and departed this life while on a visit at the home of her son, Lloyd, in Akron, O., November 27, 1934, at the age of 55 years, 7 months and 29 days.

She was united in marriage to Harmon Adelma Coburn July 30, 1895. To this union six children were born; Lloyd Leroy Coburn, Akron, O., Audrey Eunice Wilmot, Fort Wayne, Ind., Estel Lee Coburn, Willard, O., Pauline Edith Miller, Hicksville, O., William Riley Coburn, Willard, O., Georgia Mae Withrow, Garrett, Ind.

In her childhood she united with the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners, where from childhood she had enjoyed the happy fellowship of the Sunday school and church.

On March 7, 1923, her husband died at their home near Coburn's Corners and on the following July she moved her family to Garrett, where she made her home till death.

On coming to Garrett, she placed her membership with the Church of Christ here.

Besides one brother who died in early childhood, she leaves of her family in addition to the children named above, nine grandchildren, three sisters, and four brothers, who will cherish her in loving memory.

Bertha Mae Coburn was employed after the death of her husband in the ticket office of the interurban line between Fort Wayne and Garrett, Indiana.

79. ROY L. WADE (Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 22 FEB 1881 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 29 MAR 1949 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of George W. Wade and Sarah J. Koch m. 22 SEP 1901 DeKalb Co., Ind. by J. W. Lilly to Carrie B. Engle b. 13 DEC 1883 d. 4 JUN 1960 St. Joe, Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Martin Engle and Harriet Howey.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +185. Russell A. b. 20 APR 1904 d. 29 JUL 1932.
- +186. Albert M. b. 9 APR 1902, living SEP 1984.
- +187. George Elwood b. 17 MAR 1914, living SEP 1984.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, March 31, 1949.

BURIAL THURSDAY FOR ROY L. WADE.

Roy L. Wade, a retired St. Joe lunch room operator, died at 2 a.m. Tuesday at his home in St. Joe. Mr. Wade, 68 years old and a lifelong resident of St. Joe, suffered a cerebral hemorrhage last Friday and never regained consciousness.

His body was taken to the Walter funeral home at Spencerville where it will remain until 1 p.m. Thursday. Final rites will be conducted from the St. Mark's Lutheran here at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Baker, pastor of the church, will officiate at the services. Burial will be made in the Riverside cemetery at St. Joe.

Mr. Wade was born February 22, 1881, near Spencerville, the son of the late George and Sarah Koch Wade. He married the former Carrie Engle who survives with two sons, Albert Wade of St. Joe and George Wade of Garrett; one brother, Clifford Wade of Sherwood, Ohio; 13 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. One son, Russell, died in 1932.

Mr. Wade was very well known in the St. Joe and Spencerville communities and throughout the county. He formerly operated the Wade Inn in St. Joe but had been retired from that business for about five years.

He was a member of the Knights of Pythias Lodge of St. Joe. He also served on the St. Joe Volunteer Fire Department, serving as chief for several years.

80. LLOYD ORLEN WADE (Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 18 OCT 1882 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 JAN 1937 Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. s. of George W. Wade and Sarah J. Koch m. 31 DEC 1907 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Enos W. Erick to Audrey Elizabeth Butler b. 8 OCT 1883 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 19 MAR 1980 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. White City Cem. dau. of Daniel Webster Butler and Sarah Jane Boots.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +188. Janice Audrey b. 2 NOV 1911.
- +189. Mary Elizabeth b. 13 SEP 1913.
- +190. Edith Jane b. 18 JUN 1917 d. 30 OCT 1975.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, January 14, 1937.

Lloyd Orlen Wade, son of George Wade and Sarah Jane Koch Wade, was born three miles east of Spencerville, Indiana, October 18, 1882, and departed this life at his home in Defiance, Ohio, January 2, 1937, having suffered a stroke of apoplexy.

He had been freight agent of the Wabash Railroad at Defiance since October, 1933 and although he had been suffering from high blood pressure for some time, he had made a trip to Lima Friday and had apparently been in his usual health when he retired the night before his decease.

He was united in marriage to Audrey E. Butler, December 31, 1907. There were three daughters born to this union, Mrs. Janice Bowser of Spencerville and Mary and Edith at home.

The deceased was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Concord Lodge No. 556, F. & A. M., Order of Eastern Star, Chapter 386 all of Spencerville and the Order of Railroad Telegraphers. He had been with the Wabash Railroad Company for thirty years, being agent at Spencerville for sixteen years and later was located in Milan, Michigan; Adrian, Michigan, and Defiance, Ohio.

He leaves his wife, three daughters and two grandsons, James and Jerry Bowser of Spencerville, Indiana; three brothers, Roy of St. Joe, Indiana, Clifford of Sherwood, Ohio, and Stearl of Hicksville, Ohio. Two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Cole, Hillsdale, Michigan and Mrs. Jessie Deardorff, Burr Oak, Michigan.

Funeral services were held from the home in Defiance at one o'clock and at two o'clock from the Methodist Episcopal Church in Spencerville with Rev. Howard J. Brown, pastor of Forest Park M. E. Church in Fort Wayne, Indiana, officiating, assisted by Rev. L. E. Clayton, M. E. pastor, Spencerville.

Pallbearers were Albert Wade, St. Joe, Indiana, Lawrence Benjamin, Wayne, Michigan, Charles Benjamin and Ivan Butler, Fort Wayne, Indiana, Auber Butler of Spencerville and James Butler of Auburn; all nephews of the deceased.

Interment was made in White City Cemetery near Spencerville.

80½. CLIFFORD MERRITT WADE (Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 JUN 1884 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 SEP 1956 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of George W. Wade and Sarah Jane Koch m. 4 AUG 1905 Hicksville, Ohio to Frankie F. Parker b. 9 DEC 1885 d. 30 SEP 1977 nr. Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of John Parker and Margaret Walker.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+191. Musa E. b. 10 MAY 1906.

+192. Glen Parker b. 14 AUG 1908 d. 6 NOV 1978.

193. Amy M. b. 30 DEC 1910 Allen Co., Ind. m. 22 SEP 1932 at Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. to Garr Miller b. 29 AUG 1905 d. 37 MAR 1973 s. of Casey Miller and Artie Huffman. No issue. Amy resides at North Manchester, Indiana.

194. Keith b. 9 JUL 1913 m. 20 AUG 1948 Rachel Rhodes b. 11 AUG 1910 d. 5 JUN 1980 Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio, dau. of William Rhodes and Marcella Rish. Keith was employed until his retirement by Chrysler Corp. in their automotive plant at Bedford Heights, Ohio and he now resides at Defiance, Ohio. Rachel m/1 - - - Ostrom by whom she had the following children (surname OSTROM):
- (1) Lawrence b. 5 DEC 1925 d. 18 APR 1971 m. Frances Petrome.
 - (2) Donna b. 7 APR 1926 m. APR 1948/49 Robert Stead.
 - (3) Gerald b. 10 MAY 1928 m. Corinne - - -.
 - (4) Ralph b. 21 OCT 1929 d. 1975 m. Margaret Lujan (in England).

Clifford Wade's principal occupation was carpentry although for some years he owned and operated a rural grocery store and service station near Sherwood, Ohio.

81. STEARL EARL WADE (Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 25 APR 1886 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 JUN 1947 Milford Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of George W. Wade and Sarah J. Koch m/1 and divd. Hattie Blau Wise.

Children: (Surname WADE)

195. Veva Zurvilla b. 1 NOV 1910 d. inf.

Stearl Wade m/2 7 OCT 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Fred A. Thomas to Delphia I. Coburn b. 27 MAR 1885 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 22 NOV 1975 nr. Edgerton, Williams Co., Ohio bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Calvin Coburn and Alice Wiers.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+196. Gearold Calvin b. 30 DEC 1911 d. 26 JAN 1974.

197. Leone b. 1913 m/1 and divd. Lewis Depew, m/2 Audley Bill (deceased, m/3 Dale Bill (brother of Audley Bill). Res. at Jonesville, Mich. and Apache Junction, Arizona. No issue.

+198. Irene Helen b. 30 JUL 1920.

199. Robert L. b. 21 MAR 1922 d. 30 DEC 1944 during WWII in military action at Phillipine Islands, bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

+200. Donald Harry b. 26 NOV 1925.

Stearl Wade was a lifelong farmer residing near Edgerton, Ohio on a farm now owned by son Donald.

82. JESSIE MABEL WADE (Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 FEB 1889 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 AUG 1942 Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Mich. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George W. Wade and Sarah J. Koch m/1 4 AUG 1908 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Charles Oto Benjamin b. 16 AUG 1888 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 FEB 1934 Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of Jerome C. Benjamin and Electa A. Abel.

Children: (Surname BENJAMIN)

201. Lawrence Wade b. 14 MAR 1911 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 25 JUL 1946 at Memphis, Shelby Co., Tenn. to Catharine Garibaldi b. 3 APR

1913 Memphis, Tenn. dau. of Anthony D. Garibaldi and Rose Adams. No issue. He is a member of the First Christian Church and she is devoted to the Catholic faith. Lawrence served throughout WWII in the USAF as a weather observer and forecaster, having been stationed about two years at an airport in Memphis, Tenn. and the final months on a release program near Coos Bay, Oregon as telegraph operator for a railroad. Catharine worked as a secretary for several logging and lumber firms and from about 1965 for Boise-Cascade Co., all located in Portland, Oregon; retiring in 1982. Lawrence was a telegrapher for the Wabash Railroad Co. (1928-1935) and then took a similar position with the Standard Oil Co., Pipe Line Div. until 1951. He next studied electronics at Multomah College in Portland, Oregon and after graduating served as ship's radio operator on a salvage expedition to Canton Islands in the Pacific. From 1955 to retirement in 1978, he was employed in the Communications Section of the Forestry Div., U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, which served the needs of Forest Rangers for electronic equipment in the States of Oregon, Washington and Montana. He was licensed in 1927 as an amateur radio operator. Lawrence and Catharine removed in 1982 from Portland, Oregon to Indiana where their home is located on the Little Elkhart River near Middlebury, Indiana.

+202.. Charles Evert b. 5 JAN 1914.

Following her husband's death, Jessie Benjamin m/2 in 1937 Guy L. Deardorff b. 7 SEP 1887 Payne, Paulding Co., Ohio d. 1961 bur. Wiltsie Cem., Payne, Ohio s. of A. W. Deardorff and Allie Jackson. He had m/1 31 DEC 1911 at Paulding Co., Ohio Ethyl M. Jackson b. 8 MAR 1891 Antwerp, Paulding Co., Ohio d. 1936 bur. Wiltsie Cem., Payne, Ohio dau. of William Jackson and Della Reeb. Guy Deardorff had a dau. Isabel from his first marriage; she m. Frank Kirchner at St. Joseph Co., Mich. and resided at Bronson, Mich. and later at Battle Creek, Mich. After their marriage, Guy and Jessie Deardorff resided at Burr Oak, Mich. where he operated a general store handling groceries and clothing; later removing to Fort Wayne, Ind. to operate an apartment dwelling and finally to Sturgis, Mich.

Charles Benjamin, or Charley as he was affectionately known by his associates throughout his lifetime, had a disadvantaged childhood. Following his mother's death when he was but five months old, and only child, he was raised to manhood by his grandmother Abel near St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. She was a widow 58 years of age when she undertook this responsibility and had to struggle for the necessities of life but what was lacking in a material way she more than made up in love, raising her grandchild as if he were her own.

Sensing that the expanding railway system offered a good field for employment, Charley trained to become a telegraph operator and achieved this objective as an excellent telegrapher. In 1906 he was hired by the Wabash Railroad and stationed initially at St. Joe, Ind., advancing in 1913 to the newly opened station at Grabill, Ind. Five years later, he was promoted to the position of train dispatcher in the division offices at Peru, Ind. where he remained until about 1932 when the division point was relocated to Montpelier, Ohio and consolidated with the offices there which provided an excess of dispatchers. The

next two years found him at a number of locations in Ohio and Michigan before reaching the division offices at Montpelier where he finished his days.

Conscientious to the nth degree, the worries of competing for an improved position and the rigorous requirements of doing unfamiliar work in new assignments, plus his propensity as a "worrier," proved too much for his health, leading to gradual deterioration and mental stress which brought about his death at a fairly early age.

Charles Benjamin was a member of the Masonic lodge and the Knights of Pythias lodge and a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Telegraphers. Jessie Benjamin was a member of the Order of Eastern Star. Both were lifelong members of the First Christian Church.

84. ELMER JASPER VOLKERT (Samantha A., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 3 JUN 1880 d. 1970 bur. Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. s. of Joseph Volkert and Samantha Ann Koch m. APR 1906 Goldia Treace b. 14 JUN 1885 d. 1963 bur. Quincy, Mich. dau. of George Treace and Christina McNamara.

Children: (Surname VOLKERT)

- 203. Freda b. 9 AUG 1907 m. 27 JUN 1931 Merl Alfred Guilford b. c.1904 d. 27 JUN 1959 s. of William Guilford and Ella Zehendner. No issue. Merl was employed at the time of marriage as a carpenter by the B & O Railroad Co. and Freda made a career of teaching school and traveled extensively in free time. Residence at St. Joe, Ind.
- +204. Hilda Irene b. 18 OCT 1909.
- 205. Melba b. 12 FEB 1913 d. c.1973 m. & divd. Olin Yinger. No issue. Residence at Hillsdale, Michigan.
- +206. Harold b. 29 MAR 1915 m. OCT 1939 Arline Scheubel.
- 207. Earl b. 6 APR 1918 m/1 3 AUG 1946 at Quincy, Branch Co., Mich. & divd. FEB 1980 Nellie O'Dell; m/2 6 SEP 1980 Thelma Mosier b. 11 MAY 1921 Battle Creek, Marshall Co., Mich. dau. of Edward Mosier and Winifred Dodd. No issue. Thelma had m. prev. - - - Demprest. Earl is employed as a school bus driver. Residence at Quincy, Mich. He served in the U.S. Army during WWII.

Elmer Volkert and family removed from Fort Wayne, Indiana to Quincy, Michigan in 1928 where he erected an oil station and developed a successful business.

88. ALFRED/ALFORD J. GEISINGER (Sarah L., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. AUG 1873 Ind. d. c.1932 State of Washington s. of John Geisinger and Sarah L. Koch m. prob. c.1894 Lovina A. Hine b. 9 DEC 1877 (or JAN 1876) DeKalb Co., Ind. d. MAR 1940 dau. of Henry Hine and Sarah Smith.

Children: (Surname GEISINGER)

- +208. Chester Earl b. APR 1896 Ind.

Lovina m/2 on the 4 JAN 1937 DeKalb Co., Ind. to G. W. Burtzner b. 9 MAR 1859 s. of John Burtzner and Annie Lang. He had m. prev. and his wife deceased in 1935.

89. LEWIS N. GEISINGER (Sarah L., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. MAY 1875 Ind. d. 20 JUL 1969 bur. Woodlawn Cem., Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of John Geisinger and Sarah L. Koch m/1 1905 Effie A. Hines b. 23 DEC 1909 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 23 NOV 1942 Auburn, Ind. (Souder Hospital) (coronary thrombosis) dau. of Henry Hines and Sarah Abigail Smith.

Children: (Surname GEISINGER)

+209. Helen H. b. 5 MAY 1910.

Lewis Geisinger and his brother Alfred married sisters Effie and Lovina Hines.

Following the death of his first wife, Lewis Geisinger m/2 on 16 JAN 1944 at DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital, Garrett, Ind. by Rev. Joseph Ferguson) to Mrs. Alma J. Dix, her dates and parentage not given.

Lewis was a physician and always maintained his practice at Auburn, Ind. It is thought that his second wife may have been a nurse.

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, November 26, 1942.

GEISINGER.

Relatives and friends of Mrs. Effie A. Geisinger, wife of Dr. L. N. Geisinger, an Auburn physician, were shocked Monday to learn of her death at 11 a.m. Monday morning at the Dr. Bonnell Souder Hospital.

Mrs. Geisinger was stricken with an attack of coronary thrombosis Thursday evening and it was at first thought that she was dead but her husband was able to revive her. She was taken to the hospital and on Sunday was much improved, declaring that she wanted to return home.

Her condition continued to improve Monday but she was stricken again at 10 o'clock Monday morning and passed away an hour later. Private funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

90. INEZ P. GEISINGER (Sarah L., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. JAN 1887 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John Geisinger and Sarah L. Koch m. 19 SEP 1914 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by A. B. Garman to Ernest J. Brown b. c.1885 Milan, Erie Co., Ohio s. of John Brown and Louisa Bremaier.

Children: (Surname BROWN)

210. Berwyn m. Alice - - - and is believed to have had a dau. Resided in 1941 at Kalamazoo, Mich. He was killed during WWII at the Anzio Beachhead.

211. Dorothy Fern b. 22 DEC 1923 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. after 1940 poss. at Chicago, Ill to Bob - - -; known to have had a dau. d. inf. at Chicago.

Ernest Brown was employed as a railway clerk at the time of his marriage to Inez.

91. PEARL MAE KOCH (John U. Koch, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 30 MAY 1884 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 13 MAR 1908 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of John Ulrich Koch and Frances M. Shilling m. 17 FEB 1903 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. S. Hininger to George T. Walter b. 28 OCT 1878 d. 1956 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind., his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname WALTER)

+212. Vera Blanche b. 8 DEC 1903, d. 1969.

213. Violet Irene b. 26 APR 1907 d. 7 JUL 1908 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind.

An item in the St. Joe News of 8 JUL 1908 stated, "The little one year old girl of George Walter died yesterday afternoon at the home of John Koch. The little one had been serious for some time with cholera infantum, being caused by drinking sour milk." Apparently the little daughter, Violet Irene, had been living with her grandparents following the death of her mother about four months before her own death.

After the death of his first wife, George Walter m/2 Florence Snyder b. 1891 d. 1967, her parentage not determined. Their children were: (Surname WALTER)

(1) Dale, m. Mayola Ginder.

(2) George Jr.

(3) Lewis Harold b. 1 JUL 1922 DeKalb Co., Ind.

(4) Russell Morris b. 11 AUG 1924 m. 2 AUG 1946 Mae E. Slayton.

93. EDNA D. KOCH (Reuben J., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 10 JUN 1888 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 16 FEB 1914 Churubusco, Whitley Co., Ind. (acute nephritis) dau. of Reuben J. Koch and Harriet V. Mathews m. 5 DEC 1907 DeKalb Co., Ind. to William Elmore Moudy b. 7 FEB 1875 (or 1877) DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 27/28 JUN 1941 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of William Moudy and Ellen J. Carnahan.

Children: (Surname MOUDY)

214. Elmore b. 27 SEP 1909 d. Ae 3 days Whitley Co., Ind.

215. Chester Frank b. 28 MAY 1911 Whitley Co., Ind. Res. Waterloo, Ind.

216. Lloyd b. 14 FEB 1914. Res. Indianapolis, Ind.

William Moudy was a school teacher in occupation.

He m/2 Alta Fogel b. 19 SEP 1888 d. 29 JAN 1968 dau. of Frank Fogel and Myrta Ann Miller. Alta had m/1 Marvin H. Smith and had a dau. by this marriage who assumed use of the Moudy name but it is believed she was never adopted. William and Alta had no children of their own.

After William Moudy's decease, Alta m/3 Ira Richards and resided at Churubusco, Indiana where it is belived that she died.

The obituary of Edna D. Moudy gave the date of her marriage to William E. Moudy as 25 DEC 1897; apparently an error.

Obituary:

St. Joe News; Thursday, July 3, 1941.

William E. Moudy, Waterloo resident, passed away at 3:10 o'clock Friday morning at his home, age 66. Death followed a two years illness from paralysis.

Mr. Moudy was born in DeKalb County, February 7, 1875 and had lived in Waterloo for the last year and a half. He moved to that town from Churubusco, where he had lived for the previous thirty years. He formerly taught school and was in the monument business in Churubusco.

Surviving are the widow, Alta; two sons, Lloyd Moudy, of Indianapolis, and Frank Moudy, of Waterloo; three brothers, Alfred, of Indianapolis, Walter, of LaOtto, and David, of Butler, and one sister, Mrs. William Hathaway, of Butler. Mr. Moudy's parents were the late William and Ellen Moudy, who lived six miles east of Auburn.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Ulrey funeral home in Waterloo, with the Krider funeral home of Churubusco in charge. Rev. S. M. Hill, of Twelve Mile, Indiana, officiated, with interment in Woodlawn cemetery, Auburn.

Mr. Moudy was well known about St. Joe, having married Miss Edna Koch, daughter of Reuben Koch, for his first wife.

94. BEULAH DeMERLE KOCH (J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 9 APR 1885 Ind. d. 17 FEB 1969 Jackson, Jackson Co., Mich. dau. of John Wilson Koch and Christina Priscilla (Anna) Timmerman m. 7 JUL 1910 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Ella Clay Coburn b. 30 JAN 1879 Ind. d. 19 FEB 1958 Jackson, Mich. s. of Charles M. Coburn and Jane E. Allen. Both Beulah and Clay are bur. Hillcrest Cem., Jackson, Michigan.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+217. Charles W. b. 27 SEP 1914, living 1983.

218. Lester Leroy b. 20 JUL 1918 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 17 SEP 1973 Jackson, Mich. (suicide shooting) bur. Hillcrest Cem., Jackson, Mich. Unm.

+219. Eloise Elaine b. 9 JUL 1920.

For several years following their marriage, Clay and Beulah resided at Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio and then returned to St. Joe, Ind. They remained in that area for some fifteen years or so before removing to Jackson, Mich. where Clay was employed by the Sparton Company, living out their years at that location.

In September, 1945, Clay was hospitalized due to a stroke from which he never fully recovered. Son Leroy devoted his time to the sport of trap shooting, at which he became quite accomplished, until the latter years of his parents' lives when he undertook the task of caring for them.

95. EMMET LeROY KOCH (J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 21 JUL 1887 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1964 s. of John Wilson Koch and Christina Priscilla (Anna) Timmerman m. 25 JUN 1908 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Adeline Mae Thorpe b. 16 SEP 1889 nr. Albion, Noble Co., Ind. d. 22 DEC 1936 Ae 47 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Curtis Thorpe and Esther Saltsgaber.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+220. Hilda M. b. 1908.

+221. Bruce Cyril b. 21 APR 1910 d. 10 MAR 1966.

222. Gerald b. 17 JAN 1913 d. 21 DEC 1918 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Indiana.

For a brief period after their marriage, Roy and Addie as they were commonly known resided at Boyne City, Michigan and then returned to St. Joe, Indiana. They were very popular in the community and their home was visited frequently by relatives and friends according to articles appearing regularly in the issues of the St. Joe News.

In occupation, Roy Koch was a carpenter and a construction worker.

The St. Joe News issue of 24 DEC 1936 reported, "Mrs. Roy Koch Dies Suddenly Tuesday. All St. Joe was greatly shocked Tuesday morning to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Roy Koch. She had been suffering with severe pains in the back of her head for a couple of days and Monday she became worse and Dr. DeMuth and son, of Hicksville, were hurriedly called also a specialist from the Lutheran Clinin at Fort Wayne was called, but without avail. While Mr. Koch was fixing the morning furnace fire, she passed away very suddenly. Mrs. Koch will be greatly missed in the community with her musical ability and leadership."

Obituary: St. Joe News; Thursday, January 7, 1937.

Addie Mae Koch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thorpe, was born on September 16, 1889 near Albion, in Noble County, and passed away after a brief illness on Tuesday morning, December 22, 1936, at the age of 47 years, 3 months and 6 days.

On June 28, 1908, she was united in marriage to Roy Koch and to this union was born one daughter, Hilda, and two sons, Bruce and Gerald, the latter preceded her in death.

Mrs. Koch was affiliated with the St. Joe Methodist Protestant Church.

She leaves to mourn her death, the husband, Roy, one daughter, Mrs. Hilda Crowell, of Dayton, Ohio, one son, Bruce, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., a mother, Mrs. Esther Gill, of South Bend, two brothers, Charles and Joseph Thorpe, both of Toledo, Ohio, one sister, Lela Yeiser, of Avila, Ind., six grandchildren, many other relatives and a host of friends.

The funeral was conducted from the home on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Wm. D. Koehlein, her pastor, officiating, and burial was made in Riverside cemetery.

97. WALTER J. BAKER (Anna, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 3 SEP 1893/94 Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1971 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Henry Baker and Anna Koch m. 15 APR 1915 Allen Co., Ind. by Ang. C. Nierman to Bernice M. Perry b. 2 OCT 1896 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 8 JUL 1934 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Newton J. Perry and Alice D. Shaffer.

Children: (Surname BAKER)

- 223. William Henry b. 8 MAY 1922 d. 1974. Unm.
- +224. Ethelyn b. 25 SEP 1917 d. 20 JUL 1983.
- 225. Alice, m. - - - White. Resided at South Bend, Ind.

Walter Baker m/2 16 JUL 1935 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. O. B. Noren to Mabel Ruth Myers (a practical nurse) b. 29 MAR 1899 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Henry T. Myers and Francis Thompson. No issue. This was Mabel's third marriage; her first husband deceased 13 SEP 1932 and she divd. from her 2nd husband 18 MAR 1935.

Walter Baker owned and operated the general store at Concord which had been started and operated by his father for many years.

98. RAYO DELL BAKER (Anna, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. AUG 1897 dau. of Henry Baker and Anna Koch m. prob. c.1919 to John L. Draggoo, his dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname DRAGGOO)

- 226. Ruth Anna b. 9 JUN 1920 d. 9 APR 1921 (pneumonia)
- 227. Frank H. d. 30 NOV 1943 during WWII in Germany bur. West Cem., Cologne, Germany. He served in the USAF with the rank of 1st Lieutenant and was co-pilot of a B-17 bomber on his first mission when killed.
- 228. Golda (Göldie), m. - - - Lochner.
- 229. Chalmer. Res. Osseo, Michigan.
- 230. Joseph (Billy), Served during WWII in the USAF; stationed JAN 1944 at Suffolk airdrome, Long Island, N.Y.
- 231. Grace, m. Jas. Yuba. Res. Kintersville, Pa.

John and Rayo Dell resided after their marriage at Reading, Hillsdale Co., Mich. until about 1944 when their residence is given as Fort Wayne, Indiana.

101. JOSEPH C. KOCH (Charles, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 23 MAR 1903 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Charles Koch and Arline B. Curie m/1 20 JUL 1925 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (M.E. parsonage) by Geo. F. Hubbartt, min. and divd. DEC 1929 Marie LaVerne Rhodes dau. of Raymond Rhodes and Minta Horn. No issue. LaVerne m/2 on 11 OCT 1931 Charles Angel by whom there was one child; Patsy June b. JUN 1932. They later divd.

Joseph Koch m/2 on 23 SEP 1932 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. E. J. Wickersham and divd. APR 1939 Grace I. Hamilton of Auburn b. c.1914 dau. of Eugene Hamilton and - - - Stair.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+232. James Douglas b. 22 MAR 1933.

For his third marriage, Joseph Koch re-married his former wife Marie LaVerne Rhodes on 4 SEP 1939. However this marriage also ended in divorce.

Joseph C. Koch m/4 on 25 NOV 1944 to Florence M. Simon b. 5 NOV 1904 Bucharest, Rumania, dau. of Andrei Simon and Joana Purcee. She had m. prev. and divd.
- - - Bradin.

In occupation, Joseph Koch was employed as a truck driver, a salesman, a policeman at Garrett, Ind. and a painter. Residence varied over the years, having been at Grabill, Ind., Auburn, Ind., Spencerville, Ind., Garrett, Ind. and last reported at San Bernardino, Calif. in MAY 1969 where it is believed he may have died.

Joseph Koch also resided a few years at Fort Wayne, Ind. where the following item appeared in DEC 1925 in the Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; "Joseph Koch Rescues Lad. When Gilbert Brown, aged 7, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brown, 1520 Columbia Avenue, broke through ice on Delta Lake, at Lakeside Park, while on his way to school last Thursday afternoon, Joseph Koch, 1030 Columbia Avenue, who was passing in his machine, dived through the ice to rescue the boy. Pulled from the lake, the boy was stiffened by the icy waters. He was taken home, where physicians began a battle to avoid pneumonia."

LaVerne M. Koch, Joseph's 1st and 3rd wife, m. 29 APR 1962 at Leo, Ind. by Rev. Lloyd E. Willert to Russell S. Sink b. 19 DEC 1895 Covington, Ky. (retired) s. of William Sink and Oky Seely; he had m. prev. and wife deceased.

103. MARY BLANCH MORR (Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 26 SEP 1893 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John W. Morr and Amanda Koch m. 25 MAR 1913 Noble Co., Ind. to Claud E. Mason b. 10 JAN 1892 Howard Co., Ind. s. of John Robinson Mason and Anna L. Merchant.

Children: (Surname MASON)

233. Jack b. before 1930.

At marriage, Claud Mason's occupation was given as "solicitor." The family resided at Albion, Ind. and Syracuse, Ind.

104. JUSTIN WHEELER MORR SR. (Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 12 MARY 1899 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. JUN 1978 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. bur. Albion Cem., Albion, Ind. s. of John W. Morr and Amanda M. Koch m/1 1917 Albion, Ind. and divd. Helen Baker, her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname MORR)

234. James W. m. and reportedly has three sons. Residence at Hastings, Mich. where he is employed as manager of the Berrien County Credit Bureau.

Justin Morr Sr. m/2 on 11 NOV 1921 Noble Co., Ind. Evelyn R. Rice b. 7 DEC 1904 Jefferson Twp., Noble Co., Ind. dau. of Oliver Milan Rice and Harriet McDonald.

Children: (Surname MORR)

- 235. Robert J. b. 4 MAY 1924 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. Unm.
- +236. John Oliver b. 25 JUN 1926.
- +237. Jerry Dean b. 1 DEC 1927.
- +238. Justin Wheeler Jr. b. 23 APR 1929.
- +239. Barbara Joan b. 30 AUG 1930.
- +240. Betty Jean b. 14 MAY 1933.
- +241. Shirley Ann b. 21 AUG 1943.

Justin Wheeler Morr was employed in factory work until 1949 and then worked as a salesman until retiring in 1964.

Obituary: Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; Wednesday, June 14, 1978.

JUSTIN MORR SR.

ALBION:- Justin W. Morr Sr., 79, died Tuesday in the Alfran Nursing Home, Columbia City. Surviving are his wife, Evelyn; three daughters, four sons and two sisters.

Services are 10 a.m. Friday in the Brazzell Funeral Home where calling is 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday. Memorials to the Heart Fund.

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Clara Gertrude Koch (#37)



John Wilson Koch (#30) w/ dau.
in law Adeline M. Thorpe &
g.son Bruce Koch

— Otis D. Koch and w. Marjorie —
never were divorced. (CEB)

KOCH FAMILY

GENERATION FIVE

106. OTIS D. KOCH (John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 3 MAR 1902 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 25 JUL 1963 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. bur. Lindenwood Cem., Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of John C. Koch and Bettie D. Webb m. 9 JUN 1923 at Fort Wayne, Ind. by Rev. E. E. Wright and divd. Marjorie Cauffman b. 19 MAR 1903 Clay Twp., Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of John Cauffman and Lydia Dick.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+242. Carrol Elaine b. 24 NOV 1925.

+243. Duane E. b. 27 JUL 1927.

Marjorie Koch m/2 17 JUL 1965 Leroy W. Mann whose first wife was Marguerite Koch, sister of Otis D. Koch; Marguerite having deceased in 1950.

Obituary: Fort Wayne Journal Gazette; July 26, 1963 (Friday).

Otis D. Koch, 61, died yesterday in Pariview Hospital where he had been a patient since June 4. He had been ill since January.

A native of DeKalb County, he was employed by International Harvester Co. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are his wife, Marjorie, one son, Duane, Fort Wayne, one daughter, Mrs. Carrol Green, Fort Wayne, five grandchildren, and one brother, Virgil, of Spencerville.

Burial in Lindenwood cemetery.

(Note: The obituary does not take into account that Otis and Marjorie were divorced. C.E.B.)

107. VIRGIL F. KOCH (John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 18 JAN 1905 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 10 SEP 1972 (cancer) bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of John C. Koch and Bettie D. Webb m. 19 OCT 1935 at Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran church parsonage) to Helen V. Hursh b. 21 FEB 1913 Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Ezriah (Eck) Hursh and Elizabeth Oberholtzer.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+244. Peggy Jo b. 25 JUL 1937.

In occupation, Virgil Koch was a farmer and also was employed by International Harvester Co. as a truck assembler. He was affiliated with the Methodist church and Helen with the Lutheran church. After disposing of the farm property a few years before his decease, the family residence was relocated to a new home built on the outskirts of Spencerville, Indiana.

108. MARGUERITE KOCH (John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 JUN 1908 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 14 AUG 1950 Boston, Mass. bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of John C. Koch and Bettie D. Webb m. 6 or 17 JUL 1929 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by E. E. Wright to Leroy W. (Roy) Mann b. 3 SEP 1906 Peebles, Adams Co., Ohio s. of Willis J. Wadsworth and Lillian Speaker.

Children: (Surname MANN)

- +245. Jack Willis (twin) b. 25 SEP 1932.
- +246. Gene (twin) b. 25 SEP 1932.
- +247. Donald Paul b. 22 NOV 1935.
- +248. Betty Joan b. 4 JUL 1937.

Leroy (Wadsworth) Mann was raised from infancy by his aunt, Ada Elizabeth (Speaker) Mann, and always used the surname "Mann" although never formally adopted.

Following the death of his first wife, Roy later married on 17 JUL 1965 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by John Paul Hill, min. Church of Christ, to Marjorie D. Cauffman b. 19 MAR 1903 Clay Twp., Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of John Cauffman and Lydia Dick. She had m/1 and divd. 1963 Otis D. Koch who was a brother of Marguerite Koch, Roy Mann's first wife.

Roy Mann was a production employe of International Harvester Co. in their truck plant at Fort Wayne, Ind. until his retirement in 1968. He and wife Marjorie reside very near the Church of Christ at Coburn's Corners in DeKalb Co., Ind.

The following notice appeared in the St. Joe News on Thursday, August 31, 1950: Funeral services for Mrs. Marguerite M. Mann of near St. Joe were conducted on Friday, August 18, in the Coburntown Church of Christ with the Rev. Darris Hamilton, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial was in Alton Cemetery. Mrs. Mann, 42, died Monday, August 14, in a Boston, Mass. hospital following a 26-year fight to overcome a heart ailment.

111. ARTHUR KOCH (Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 26 FEB 1906 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. d. 28 JUN 1945 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. s. of Reuben Koch and Addie B. Duprey m. 23 APR 1929 Alger Co., Mich. to Rachel Parr b. c.1911 Shingleton, Alger Co., Mich. dau. of William Parr and Mary Lamour.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +249. William Arthur b. 28 JAN 1930.
- +250. Hannah Martha b. 6 DEC 1930.
- 251. Ruby Elaine b. 11 FEB 1932 Alger Co., Mich. m. and divd. Leslie Webster. No issue. Res. Waukegan, Illinois.
- +252. Mary Bell b. 29 NOV 1934.
- 253. Robert Reuben b. 16 APR 1933 Alger Co., Mich. d. 1955. unm.
- 254. Alice Evelyn b. 14 APR 1936 Alger Co., Mich. DY.
- +255. Paul b. 27 AUG 1937.
- +256. Ora Daniel b. 11 JUN 1939.
- +257. Alice May b. 17 JAN 1941.

258. Ida Evelyn b. 28 FEB 1943 Alger Co., Mich.
+259. Flora Marie b. 21 DEC 1944.

From the Opple-Koch record:

Arthur Koch grew up near his grandparents in Colfax Twp., Oceana County, Mich. bur removed with his father to the Upper Peninsula to work in the lumber camps. He and his wife had a large family and resided in the area of Limestone, Munising and Wetmore, Michigan. Arthur died in a logging accident which injured his spine at the age of 39 years. He is buried in Wetmore Cemetery, Wetmore, Michigan. His wife, Rachel, married later Mr. Guy Armond and resides near Christmas, Michigan.

112. LUELLA MAE KOCH (Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 OCT 1907 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of Reuben Koch and Addie B. Duprey m/1 14 SEP 1925 at Chicago, Cook Co., Ill. to Albert Vernon Orsi b. Chicago, Ill. d. 26 NOV 1965 Chicago, Ill. s. of Virgil Orsi and Angeline Pizza.

Children: (Surname ORSI)

- +260. Robert Vernon b. 2 JUN 1926.

Luella m/2 on 4 SEP 1965 and divd. Lewis Hagar. She now resides at Chicago, Illinois.

She first moved to Chicago, Ill. with her mother, remaining there after her first marriage until husband Vernon Orsi died of heart failure and was buried in St. Joseph Cemetery, Chicago. During this time, Luella worked 23 years for the Dr. Scholls Company. She then returned to Michigan where she remarried and resided at Muskegon until removing c.1982/83 to Chicago, Illinois.

115. GEORGE PETER KOCH (Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 19 NOV 1912 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. s. of Reuben Koch and Addie B. Duprey m. 17 FEB 1938 at Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. to Irma Josephine Sanders b. 19 AUG 1920 dau. of Joseph Sanders and Mary Green.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +261. Douglas Eugene b. 24 DEC 1938.
+262. Luella Joyce b. 9 AUG 1940.
+263. Nina Belle b. 16 AUG 1942.
+264. Jake Arthur b. 30 MAR 1945.
+265. Ann Janet b. 13 NOV 1947.
266. Jesse Edward b. 17 MAR 1950 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

George Peter Koch was named for both his paternal and maternal grandfathers. He grew up in Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. near his grandparents and then removed with his father to the Upper Peninsula to work in the lumber camps. George has spent much of his life as a woodsman or logger in the lumbering field and also enjoys hunting, trapping and fishing. The family residence is located at Walkerville, Michigan in his latter years.

116. RUTH GERTRUDE KOCH (Frank B., George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 11 JUN 1920 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of Frank B. Koch and Elsie Dolph m. 20 DEC 1942 at Tacoma, Pierce Co., Wash. to Carl Burton Aikins b. 19 JUL 1915 Walkerville, Oceana Co., Mich. s. of Claude Aikins and Lorrina Doenger.

Children: (Surname AIKINS)

+267. Bernard Carl b. 7 APR 1947.

Ruth Gertrude was born and raised on her parents' farm near Walkerville, Mich. and attended Walkerville High School. At the age of 22 she went to Tacoma, Wash. to marry her soldier sweetheart, Carl Aikins, who was also a native of Walkerville. He served in the U. S. Army, Infantry, during WWII and saw duty in the Pacific Theatre.

Ruth is employed by the U. S. Post Office at Walkerville where she has worked since c.1961.

117. CARL KOCH (Frank B., George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 OCT 1926 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. s. of Frank B. Koch and Elsie Dolph m. 28 OCT 1949 at Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. to Marie Baron b. 1931 Mich. dau. of Russell Baron and Leola Baxter.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+268. Donald Carl b. 31 AUG 1950.

+269. Donna Jean b. 2 DEC 1952.

270. Dennis Frank b. 6 JUN 1956 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

271. Mary Ann b. 18 NOV 1957 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

Carl Koch was raised on his parents' farm and attended high school at Walkerville, Mich. He then served during WWII in the Military stationed in Germany. In occupation, he is a produce trucker and has worked at this trade for many years. Marie Koch is employed by the Pentwater Wire Co.

The family Bible of George W. and Hannah (Opple) Koch is in the possession of Carl Koch.

121. MABLE BEATRICE BYROADE (George C., Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 SEP 1908 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of George C. Byroade and Harriet C. Heckerman m. 4 SEP 1927 at Defiance Co., Ohio by J. H. Patterson, clergyman, and divd. Luther DeForest Hyman b. 22 OCT 1904 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio d. Tucson, Arizona s. of Adelbert Hyman and Rosetta Swayne.

Children: (Surname HYMAN)

+272. Jacqueline June b. 25 JUL 1928.

+273. Catherine Dawn b. 28 APR 1930.

274. Glenna Joyce b. 26 MAR 1932 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m/1 - - - Messman; m/2 - - - Chomey and divd. 1963; m/3 21 AUG 1964 at Fort Wayne, Ind. by Richard H. Murphy, J.P. George Ellsworth Work b. 4 FEB 1929 Parkersburg, W. Va. s. of George Scott Work and Gene Coil. Believed to now reside at Houston, Texas.

Mable Hyman m/2 on 21 MAY 1948 at Allen Co., Ind. by Emery E. Stults, J. P. to O. Glen Fernwalt b. 22 OCT 1910 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Robert George Fernwalt and Edna Hazel Sterick; his first marriage; occupation dispatcher. Mable was then employed as a buyer.

After being divd. from her second husband, Mable Fernwalt m/3 reportedly to Jack - - -, a car dealer in Fort Wayne, Ind. No details known.

Mable m/4 James W. Nevling b. 1897 d. 1 DEC 1979 at Fort Wayne, Ind. After his decease, Mable has continued to reside at Fort Wayne, Ind. in retirement.

Obituary: Fort Wayne Journal Gazette; December 2, 1979.

(extracted)

James W. Nevling, 82, died Saturday December 1, 1979.....was a native of Hastings, Pa. resided in Fort Wayne 30 years was a federal civil services employe in quality control 22 years before retiring earlier was a high school teacher in Pennsylvania and had operated a business in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

After retiring, he devoted much of his time to art and he and his wife Mable had exhibits in Florida, Michigan, and Indiana.

Burial in Scipio Cemetery (Allen Co., Ind.).

123. ALTA MARIE BYROADE (Ernest C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 20 OCT 1906 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio d. 24 NOV 1963 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Ernest C. Byroade and Carrie R. Mettert m. 22 JUN 1930 at Woodburn, Allen Co., Ind. by Chris J. Gerig to Robert Wayne Long b. 22 AUG 1905 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. d. 19 JAN 1966 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Harry A. Long and Martha Wagner.

Children: (Surname LONG)

+275. Wayne Edward b. 14 AUG 1931.

+276. Gerald Eugene b. 14 FEB 1936.

At the time of marriage, Robert Long was employed as a garage mechanic.

124. HENRY ALFRED BYROADE (Ernest C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 JUL 1913 Allen Co., Ind. s. of Ernest C. Byroade and Carrie R. Mettert m/1 12 JUN 1937 Mary Kathren Richard b. 7 JUL 1915 Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Walter R. Richard and Bessie - - -.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

277. Gene Richard b. 10 SEP 1938 m/1 Emma Margaret Post; m/2 Naomi Jean Paulson; m/3 Lenore Belle Mann. No issue.

278. Alan Marshall b. 5 JUN 1948.

+279. Jon Douglas b. 27 FEB 1950.

Henry Byroade and Mary Kathren were divd. and he later m/2 on 2 FEB 1962 to Jitka Donda b. 27 AUG 1924, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

280. Linda Maria b. 1965.

Jitka Byroade had m/1 - - - Henson by whom there were the following children: (Surname HENSON) -

- (1) John Donda Henson b. 1 MAR 1948 m. Joan Liljenquist and has children:
 - (1) John d. Henson Jr. b. 24 JUL 1976.
 - (2) Jenifer Clare Henson b. 18 JAN 1980.
- (2) Mark Denver Henson b. 16 SEP 1954.

Henry Alfred Byroade has led a life devoted to the service of his country, having really experienced two distinguished careers; one in the Military and the other as a diplomat. In each field, his efforts have been recognized by his superiors at the top-most level as truly outstanding. A graduate of the Academy at West Point in 1937, he progressed steadily in rank until he was loaned to the State Department during early WWII where he eventually won a permanent place and held a number of ambassadorial assignments. Detailed accounts of his activities in these two fields are too lengthy to be reproduced here. However, it seems only fitting to include in its entirety his biography as taken from Government files, which follows. This was prepared about 1973 and is not up-dated.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF AMBASSADOR HENRY A. BYROADE

Henry A. Byroade was born in Allen County, Indiana on July 24, 1913. He received a B.S. degree from the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1937 and a Master of Science degree in Engineering from Cornell University in 1941. His military career was a distinguished one in which he reached the rank of Brigadier General at age 32, the youngest in the history of the United States Army. His major assignments since that time have included the position of Director for German Affairs for the period 1949-52 in the Department of State; Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern, South Asian and African Affairs from 1952 to 1955; Ambassador to Egypt, 1955-56; Ambassador to the Union of South Africa, 1956-59; Ambassador to Afghanistan, 1959-62; Chief Policy Advisor for the new Arms Control Disarmament Agency in Washington, D. C., 1962-63; Ambassador to the Union of Burma, 1963-67; State Department Advisor to the Industrial College of the Armed Forces in Washington, D. C. 1968-69; and Ambassador to the Phillippines, 1969-73. He is currently Ambassador to Pakistan, having been appointed by President Nixen in September 1973 and confirmed by the Senate in October 1973.

After graduating from West Point, Byroade took his first tour of duty in the United States Army in Hawaii, followed by a postgraduate course at Cornell University. He had returned from this assignment to help form the first Aviation Engineer regiment at Langely Field, Virginia when Pearl Harbor involved the United States directly in World War II. In less than a week he took an Aviation Engineer battalion to Mitchell Field, Long Island to start converting that base into a war-time facility. Very shortly thereafter he was summoned to Washington

to be told that he was to be part of a "Bomb Tokyo" mission which was to be organized as quickly as possible to hit Tokyo from the mainland of China. Byroade was told that he could pick any 14 men he desired from the Army at large, provided none of them out-ranked him. He was given an initial fund of \$10 million to do whatever necessary from an engineering point of view to facilitate this mission.

Organizational difficulties at the beginning of World War II were such that the mission, comprising B-17 bombers and DC-3 transports, did not reach Karachi until March 1942. Byroade helped strip the DC-3's so that their entire cargo was 50-gal. gasoline drums piped into the wing tanks. There was at that time no field at Ascension Island and the DC-3's took 34 hours to reach West Africa from Natal in Brazil. About one-fourth of the force was lost, including several of the bombers.

The Japanese advances on the mainland of China were such as to deny access to the planned area south of Shanghai to launch the strikes against Tokyo. The northern Philippines by that time was gone as well, and the mission was abandoned, or at least indefinitely postponed. Byroade's original orders indicated that he should report to the senior aviation engineer in the China-Burma-India theater of operations, even though the drafters knew that even though he was only a Major, he was in fact the senior one in that branch in the theater. Byroade was doing odd jobs in the Karachi area wondering how to get more actively involved in the war when he was picked up by General Raymond A. Wheeler, who was in command of the services supply in the China-Burma-India theater. He was transferred away from the Air Force and put in command of Advance Section No. 2, Service of Supply, of the C-B-I theater and given an area which extended roughly from Calcutta to Darjeeling and across to the Burma border. His mission was to provide the logistics and airfields to start the "Hump" run to China. The war-time SOS organization combined all services for all branches and it was a very active assignment. By the time he left the Assam area the flow of lend-lease supplies to China, of which he was also in charge, had grown from nothing to about 25,000 tons a month.

Byroade was then assigned to take command of Advance Section No. 4 of the SOS, which consisted of roughly the eastern half of China. His primary mission there was to support the forward echelons of General Chennault's 14th Air Force. In this capacity Byroade supervised the construction of over 40 airfields in Eastern China. While working in this capacity, the decision was made in Washington to resume the "Bomb Tokyo" mission, this time from the Chungtu area of northern China. Contrary to previous practice, the U. S. Air Force was to be in charge of construction. Byroade was transferred back to the Air Force and he took a few other officers quietly to the Chungtu area and laid out plans for four huge airfields for the bombers and seven fighter fields for protection. With the help of the Geneneralissimo a total of 596,000 laborers were drafted for the job. Ninety days after initiation of construction the first B-29 bombers arrived.

After completing this assignment, Byroade returned to Kungming to be placed in charge of all U. S. construction in China, and specifically to be engineer of the 14th Air Force. He served in that capacity until returning to the United States in late 1944. He was assigned to the Operations Division of the General Staff in the Pentagon where he was Chief Policy Coordinator for things in the China-Burma-India theater of operations.

Shortly after the end of the war, President Truman asked General George C. Marshall to undertake a peace mission to China to try to prevent civil war from engulfing mainland China. Marshall selected Byroade to be his Chief of Staff and make all preparations for the mission. They arrived in Chungking in December 1945 and were able to secure a peace agreement in 13 days of hard negotiations, with Chou En-lai representing the Communist side. That same night Marshall instructed Byroade to have the truce organization start functioning in Peking before the next day ran out. Byroade, in Marshall's name, took over what was left of the air transport of the China Military Theater Command, transported both sides to Peking, took over two hotels and the Rockefeller FVMC hospital compound where he set up the headquarters. The first truce team got to the field the next morning, with the Communist side complaining bitterly that they were being pushed too fast. The organization was tripartite with the exception of the position of Byroade. The top level consisted of a National Government four-star general, a Chinese Communist three-star general, and Mr. Walter Robinson who had the title of High Commissioner. Byroade was Chief of Staff to all three.

Below Byroade was a large tripartite staff which eventually consisted of 46 truce teams spread out across China north of the Yangtse, Manchuria and Mongolia. It was at this time that Byroade was promoted to the rank of Brigadier General. For a time considerable progress was made; sieges were lifted, medical supplies moved, etc. In the end of course the mission failed and its results were much publicized. Byroade himself caught typhoid as he was moving up through Manchuria about two days behind the Russian withdrawal. He was unable to continue his work and was evacuated to the United States.

As a young general who had been so seriously ill, Byroade found the Army good to him and offered him any position within reason that he wanted in the post war Army. Still shaky from his illness, he decided to attend the first class of the Armed Forces Staff College in Norfolk, Virginia, even though as a general he already had credit for the course. The process of recovering was a long one and Byroade credits much of his recovery to the fact that he spent most of his time rebuilding a Chris-Craft, rather than going to school.

Upon graduation Byroade returned to Washington and again to the General Staff and was in charge of the Political-Military Section thereof that dealt with the Department of State and foreign governments on military matters. Much of Byroade's work in this assignment had to do with the administration of Occupied Areas. He became convinced in 1948 that it was time for the Pentagon to move out of its predominant role and turn the administration of Occupied Areas over to the Department of State. He had great difficulty convincing General Marshall, who was then Secretary of State, to assume these responsibilities. Marshall had taken the view that the State Department was not organized to run this type of operation. Byroade persisted that State should so organize itself and Marshall finally reluctantly agreed.

Before the transfer could be carried out the Soviet Union started its famous Berlin Blockade, and this seemed no time to turn things back to civilian control. This turned into such a serious matter that Byroade had to practically abandon

all of his other duties and in effect became the Pentagon "leg man" around Washington as regards the blockade, maintaining liaison with the highest levels, and spending much of his time in tele-conferences with Frankfurt, Moscow and London. The late Charles E. Bohlen was the leg man for the State Department and they were practically inseparable during that period.

Byroade holds the view that Berlin might have been lost if he and others had not had the experience of the "Hump" run behind them, which had reached the astounding amount of over 120,000 tons a month by war's end. This made the decision to supply Berlin by air much easier and helped convince superiors in Washington to undertake the effort, and the blockade was finally broken.

Byroade thereafter renewed his efforts to get the State Department to take over the administration of Occupied Areas, but this time with Dean Acheson who was by then Secretary of State. The same reluctance, and for the same reasons, was encountered but Acheson finally agreed, just as Marshall had done earlier. Jack McCloy was picked as Civilian High Commissioner to replace General Lucius Clay. On the same day McCloy took over in Germany, responsibility on the Washington end was transferred from the Pentagon to the State Department. Byroade heaved a sigh of relief over a decision that he thought highly necessary and important. What he did not realize was the fact that a promise had been made by Secretary of the Army Kenneth Royal to Dean Acheson that Byroade would be transferred to the State Department to take charge of German and Austrian affairs. Byroade had not been consulted and was quite unhappy that the matter had been handled as it was. He protested to General Omar Bradley, the then Secretary of the Army, who finally had things changed to make Byroade the deputy with the loan period not to exceed a year. Byroade eventually moved up however to be in charge of German affairs with the personal rank of Assistant Secretary, a post which he occupied for three years. He had by this time become convinced that as an individual he could do more in his current position in the State Department than he could in the military in peace time. It was a constructive period in that Germany under the Marshall Plan was rebuilding itself. In this position Byroade worked as much on European affairs as he did on Germany as he took the view that there had to be a new effort at European Integration which would provide a framework to contain the new Germany. He was therefore in the forefront of all meetings having to do with organization in Europe. He drafted the first outline of a proposed European Defense Force, was active in promoting the Schuman Plan, the coal and steel community, and the beginnings of NATO. He sponsored the idea of an Atlantic Community but the idea was at that time thought premature.

At the end of those three years, Byroade had decided to return to the military with his first assignment as a student at the National War College. At that time, however, Dean Acheson conveyed to him President Truman's desire that he resign permanently from the military and accept the position of Assistant Secretary of State for the NEA area. Byroade delayed his decision for some weeks but finally assented. The NEA area at that time included all of Africa, the Middle East, and the sub-continent of South Asia. At that time this area had 87 percent of the problems before the United Nations. It

was a time of deep tension in North Africa, tensions in Egypt over the Suez base, the Arab-Israeli dispute with all its potential dangers, the oil crisis in Iran at the time of Mossadogh, tensions between India and China over Kashmir, etc. Byroade struggled with these and many other problems down through Africa for a period of approximately three years prior to his assignment as Ambassador to Egypt.

Byroade arrived in Egypt one day before fighting erupted along the Israeli border. This was the beginning of a whole series of things that were to bring about fundamental changes in the Middle East situation. It was a time also in which Nasser blamed the U. S. of trying to split the Middle East in security matters with Muri Said of Iraq as our chosen instrument. This was not true but Nasser was very hard to convince. Byroade felt that in 1956 there was some chance of arriving at a Middle East settlement with the new leadership of Nasser. He worked valiantly at this, but as history shows, without success. Byroade was able to work well with Nasser, but relations between Washington and Cairo continuously worsened, giving Byroade many a headache. He was reassigned a couple of weeks before the first Suez War of 1956.

Byroade then turned to positions more in line with normal diplomatic activity. He was Ambassador to the Union of South Africa for a couple of years and then to Afghanistan. During this tenure in the latter position relations between Afghanistan and Pakistan deteriorated to the point where the border was closed and Afghanistan was cut off from her outlet to the sea. It was a difficult time in which Afghanistan's only natural outlet to the world was through the Soviet Union. Nevertheless, he stayed there working on the problem until his reassignment to Washington where he accepted a policy position in the newly-formed Disarmament Agency. Byroade fretted in this capacity as he is by nature more of an activist who likes to work on current problems than long-range planning. He finally escaped and was made Ambassador to Burma where he served for about four years, establishing close personal relations with the shy and aloof General Ne Win.

After the above assignment Byroade accepted the position of Senior State Department official on the staff of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces in Washington which he thoroughly enjoyed as he had spent so many years of his life overseas. Following that assignment he was nominated by President Nixon to be Ambassador to the Philippines, a position which he again occupied for about four years. The position of American Ambassador to the Philippines is a rather unique one, growing out of the history of relations between our two countries. It is also quite an important one in that it is in effect a logistic support base for our mobile air force and naval units in the Western Pacific. The Mission in Manila is one of the largest in the world, again because it too is a support base for other missions and activities in the Pacific area. Manila is also the headquarters of American business enterprises which total well over one billion U. S. dollars. It was a very busy assignment, with Byroade enjoying his relations with the Philippines from President Marcos on down.

When Byroade left the Philippines, he was thinking of turning to private enterprise, and particularly a position connected with off-shore oil development in the Southeast Asia area. President Nixon, however, asked that he stay in the

Service and become Ambassador to Pakistan. He was appointed to that position on September 10, 1973 by President Nixon, confirmed by the Senate on October 12, and arrived in Islamabad to take his sixth Ambassadorial post on November 22. Here he remained until Jimmy Carter became President, at which time Byroade left the Government service. He then served for two years in Saudi Arabia as vice president of the Northrop Corporation based in Los Angeles, California.

Byroade (nicknamed Hank) has been an active outdoorsman and sportsman in spite of his busy career. He was on the West Point football and basketball teams, and was a member of its jumping team. While stationed in South Africa he ran his own big game safaris, making quick trips to Southern Sudan, Northern Rhodesia, Botswana and Southwest Africa. As a result he has an exceptionally good selection of big game trophies. He is also a "tinkerer" who seems to have an unusual fondness for rebuilding broken or ruined mechanical things back to their original condition. While Assistant Secretary of State he completely rebuilt a very badly wrecked Lincoln Cosmopolitan. In Burma he spent much of his free time rebuilding an abandoned 1939 Rolls Royce Phantom III. He did it from the frame up, and the project took two and a half years. He later brought it to Washington and drove it to work for a period of about a year. While in charge of German Affairs, he got his relaxation out of a complete rebuilding of an old Matthews-33 Cruiser. In Burma he built a sailboat. In Manila it was a ski boat and a couple of old motorcycles that attracted his attention. In Islamabad he is back with horses, joined this time by his eight year old daughter, Linda. In earlier years he spent much time on rifle teams and at two of his posts he organized such teams from members of the Embassy staffs.

Ambassador Byroade's decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, the Legion of Merit (with two oak leaf clusters), the Air Medal, and the Special Breast Order of the Yun Hua (3rd and 4th Class, China); and the Philippine Legion of Honor (the first ever given to a civilian). He also holds decorations from the Sultan of Morocco and Emperor Haile Selassie.

Ambassador Byroade is married to Jitka Donda Henson, and they have a daughter, Linda Maria, age eight. Ambassador Byroade also has three grown sons by a prior marriage.

Henry Byroade and family presently reside at Potomac, Maryland.

125. KENNETH D. BYROADE (Raymon Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 7 MAR 1913 (1911 per death record) Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio d. 19 FEB 1956 Hicksville, Ohio s. of Raymon C. Byroade and Ethel L. Kemerer m. Anna Fortney, her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

281. Sandra Kay b. 5 MAY 1943.

126. LELA MARIE BYROADE (Raymon C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch)
b. 8 JUN 1914 d. 24 NOV 1961 dau. of Raymond C. Byroade and Ethel L. Kemerer
m. Ronald E. Longberry b. 16 OCT 1915 d. 21 AUG 1976, his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname LONGBERRY)

282. Ernest Lee m. 1972 to -- ? --; reported to have had two children
but essential details are missing.

127. WALTER WILLIAM BYROADE (Raymon C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch)
b. 12 JUN 1916 d. 12 JAN 1973 s. of Raymon C. Byroade and Ethel L. Kemerer m. 27
JAN 1944 Mildred Woody b. 22 OCT 1918, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

- +283. Linda Joy b. 12 OCT 1944.
- +284. Mary Jane b. 8 NOV 1949.
- +285. Deberah Lou (twin) b. 28 OCT 1952.
- +286. Pamela Sue (twin) b. 28 OCT 1952.

This family resided at Toledo, Ohio at the time of Walter Byroade's death, but
nothing further is known.

128. ALVIN LeROY BYROADE (Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch)
b. 30 AUG 1918 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Harley A. Byroade and Bonnie
L. Slesman m. 9 OCT 1937 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by S. F. Beery to Virginia
Merle Spillers b. 8 JUL 1917 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Elmer Spillers and Ethel
Reichard.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

- 287. Donna Jean b. 18 OCT 1942 m. 10 JUN 1961 Eldon Rybolt; reported to have
four children but details not given. Res. Fort Myers, Florida.
- +288. Charles Lee b. 30 NOV 1947.
- +289. Barbara Ann b. 3 MAY 1954.

At the time of marriage, Alvin Byroade was employed by International Harvester
but his principal occupation has been his association in business with his brother
Delmar Byroade in the fabrication and installation of aluminum building products.
The family residence always has been at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

129. DELMAR MARCILE BYROADE (Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch)
b. 19 MAR 1920 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Harley A. Byroade and Bonnie
L. Slesman m. 20 AUG 1941 at Allen Co., Ind. to Gertrude Rose Clem b. 18 NOV 1922
Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Daniel Jackson Clem and Queen Victorius Clem.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

- +290. Diana Jean b. 2 JUN 1943.
- 291. Terry Thomas b. 9 APR 1948 d. 26 DEC 1965 (auto accident)

In occupation, Delmar Byroade and brother Alvin Byroade are partners in the firm Byroade Bros. Siding & Awning Sales located at Fort Wayne, Indiana, fabricators and installers of a line of aluminum building products.

Residence at rural New Haven, Indiana.

130. DELORIS MAXINE BYROADE (Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 19 APR 1922 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Harley A. Byroade and Bonnie Laurie Slesman m. 28 JUN 1941 Allen Co., Ind. to Roy Grover McCoy b. 7 OCT 1914 Whitley Co., Ind. s. of Oren Hubert McCoy and Edna May Schinbeckler.

Children: (Surname McCOY)

+292. Sharon Kay b. 9 NOV 1942.

+293. Edward LeRoy b. 1 SEP 1944.

+294. Patricia Ann b. 27 SEP 1952.

295. Allen Hubert b. 3 MAR 1955 m. 21 APR 1984 JoAnn - - -. She m/l
- - - Ellert by whom there are two children, (Surname ELLERT):
(1) Aimee Marie b. 24 FEB 1977.
(2) Phillip Raymond b. 3 FEB 1980.

Deloris is employed as a cook in the Jefferson Twp. elementary school in Whitley County, Ind. adjacent to the family residence.

Roy McCoy's principal occupation always has been in farming but he also has worked over a period of 27 years in the aluminum shop of his brothers-in-law, Alvin and Delmar Byroade, at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Deloris has an active interest in compiling a record on members of the BYROADE line and has been helpful in supplying information for inclusion is this account of the KOCH-BYROADE families.

131. DORIS IRENE BYROADE (Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 20 MAY 1923 dau. of Harley A. Byroade and Bonnie L. Slesman m. 12 JUN 1943 Ralph Gerald Miller b. 12 APR 1923 s. of Earl Miller and Esther - - -.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

296. Vicki Karen b. 3 OCT 1944 m. 12 AUG 1967 Willard Allen Minnick
b. 9 SEP 1943.

+297. Larry Dale b. 19 OCT 1947.

132. KENNETH M. VESPER (Herman Vesper, Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 29 APR 1911 Ahtanum, Wash. s. of Herman Vesper and Edith Stipp m. 1 JAN 1939 at Foster (now Tukwila), Wash. to Ione Adeline Maurer b. 23 NOV 1915 Balta, Pierce Co., North Dakota dau. of Albert Maurer and Bessie Eugenia Harroun.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

298. Merrill Kenneth b. 9 MAY 1949 Seattle, King Co., Wash. unm.

Kenneth Vesper is a sign painter by profession. The family residence is located at Seattle, Washington.

134. HERMAN JUNIOR VESPER (Herman Vesper, Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 AUG 1917 Wapato, Yakima Co., Wash. s. of Herman Vesper and Edith Stipp m. 13 MAY 1944 at the U.S. Naval Shipyard; Philadelphia, Penn. to Margaret Rose Lehane b. 4 SEP 1915 Boston, Mass. dau. of Patrick J. Lehane and Barbara Ellen Mellett.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

- +299. Sharon Rose b. 26 FEB 1945.
- +300. Gerald Patrick b. 16 JUN 1946.
- +301. Barbara Maurer b. 11 FEB 1948.
- 302. Brian M. b. 11 FEB 1948 Seattle, King Co., Wash. m. Kathleen Dunn. Res. Shaftsbury, Vt.
- 303. Richard J. b. 3 MAY 1949 Boston, Mass. m. Theresa LeBlanc. No issue. Res. W. Brattleboro, Vt. Theresa m. previously and has a son by her earlier marriage.
- 304. Mary Margaret b. 13 JUN 1950 Boston, Mass. m. James E. Donavan. No issue. Res. Williamstown, Mass.

Herman Junior Vesper was a member of the U. S. Navy 1934-1945 and held the rank of Chief Yeoman; from 1945-1949 he was employed as office manager by the IBM Corp. at Seattle, Wash.; 1949-1958 he served in the U. S. Army, rank Master Sgt.; 1958-1978 he was court reporter, U. S. District Court of Vermont; administrative - stenotypist; verbatim shorthand reporting.

Herman and Margaret Rose reside at Greenfield, Massachusetts. He suffers with failing eyesight due to diabetes.

135. VESTA VESPER (Clarence Vesper, Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 19 MAR 1911 dau. of Clarence Vesper and Hazel Webster m. 10 NOV 1934 Spokane, Spokane Co., Wash. to Jacob VanderWal b. 8 JUL 1912 Milton, Umatilla Co., Oregon s. of John VanderWal and Jennie Jansma.

Children: (Surname VanderWAL)

- 305. Thomas Jay b. 5 JUL 1938 Spokane, Spokane Co., Washington.
- +306. (AD) Valinda Vee b. 31 MAY 1947.

Jacob VanderWal is now retired except for ownership of three commercial buildings in Spokane, Washington; residence is located in this city.

136. ROBERT HENRY WALTER (Mary Jane, Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 29 NOV 1922 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 8 DEC 1949 nr. Auburn, Ind. (skull fracture due to farm accident) s. of Henry A. Walter Jr. and Mary Jane Koch m. 22 SEP 1945 Auburn, Ind. (St. Mark's Lutheran church parsonage by Rev. Allen Trout) to Mildred Lenore Marlow b. 24 DEC 1925 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Roy Marlow and Beulah D. Davis.

Children: (Surname WALTER)

- +307. Carol b. 28 AUG 1946.
+308. Karen Kay b. 24 OCT 1948

Robert Henry Walter was a farmer in occupation although he also worked for at least a time for International Harvester Co. where he was employed at the time of his marriage.

Following her husband's early decease, Mildred Walter m/2 on 29 OCT 1950 Auburn, Ind. (Church of God parsonage) to Kenneth Lung (as his second wife) b. 27 NOV 1912 Butler Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 8 MAR 1982 Auburn, Ind. (Heart failure) bur. Cedar Chapel Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.. Their children, (Surname LUNG):

- (1) Larry Allen b. 10 MAY 1953 Auburn, Ind. m. and divd. two times;
children: (1) Lori Amanda b. 9 MAY 1974.
(2) Troy Adam b. 23 FEB 1980.
(2) Peggy Sue b. 4 JUL 1956 Auburn, Ind. m. 14 MAY 1977 Patrick Miller
b. 6 SEP 1953 Decatur, Adams Co., Ind.. Their children:
(1) Nathan b. 23 FEB 1982.

Mildred Lung resides at Auburn, Ind. where she has long been a Watkins Products dealer, operating a store adjacent to her home.

138. MAX EUGENE WALTER (Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 4 MAY 1928 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Henry A. Walter Jr. and Mary Jane Koch m. 19 SEP 1953 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Donna Jean Diedrick b. 24 NOV 1935 Garrett, Ind. dau. of Carl Diedrick and Elizabeth Bartels.

Children: (Surname WALTER)

- +309. Steven Duane b. 5 OCT 1956.
+310. Denise Louise b. 17 NOV 1957.
+311. Linda Elaine b. 10 APR 1959.

Max Walter is employed by the Tokheim Corp. at Fort Wayne, Ind. and Donna works at the Garrett Greenhouse.

Family residence is located at Garrett, Indiana.

139. CHALMER ELWOOD WALTER (Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 4 DEC 1929 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Henry A. Walter Jr. and Mary Jane Koch m. 10 FEB 1962 at Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. (St. Michael's Catholic Church) to Patricia Camp b. 25 MAY 1940 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Arlo Wilson Camp and Gertrude Agnes Zircher.

Children: (Surname WALTER)

312. Scott Allen b. 17 JUN 1963 Las Vegas, Clark Co., Nevada.
313. Gary Arlo b. 17 APR 1965 Victoria, Victoria Co., Texas.

Chalmer Walter was a career officer in the USAF, having enlisted in 1947 and serving as flight engineer, instructor of fighter aircraft, and recruiter. His

assignments took him to Japan (Korean conflict), Germany, Vietnam, and Alaska (Aleutian Islands) as well as various military installations within the United States. His duty also included a four year tour with the Air Force Thunderbirds performing air shows across the U. S. and all over the free world. Upon retiring in 1977, he stated that he had enjoyed his work and assignments and the personal acquaintances formed during those years of service.

The family residence now is located at Austin, Texas.

140. SHARON LOUISE WALTER (Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 NOV 1933 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Henry A. Walter Jr. and Mary Jane Koch m. 29 SEP 1956 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Church of Christ) by Rev. Delaney Votaw, min. to Lowell Ellis Applegate b. 15 APR 1934 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Mervin B. Applegate and Dora Irene Volkert.

Children: (Surname APPLEGATE)

314. David.
+315. Caroline b. 18 JUN 1963.

Lowell Applegate is a farmer in occupation. At the time of marriage, he was a member of the U. S. Army.

Residence at rural Hicksville, Ohio.

141. VANCE DeLOY WALTER/WALTERS (Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 18 JUN 1936 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Henry A. Walter Jr. and Mary Jane Koch m/1 FEB 1956 and divd. 1959 to Diana McMillian, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname WALTERS)

316. Robert Charles b. 11 JUN 1956 Bryan, Williams Co., Ohio.

Vance Walters (he prefers this spelling) m/2 on 18 DEC 1971 at Junction City, Geary Co., Kansas to Faye Ann Linde b. 18 DEC 1932 Washington, D. C. dau. of Tors-ten Arthur Linde and Sylvia Ruth Rodis. No issue.

Faye Linde had m/1 Kenneth Burger and they had the following children (Surname BURGER):

- (1) Kenneth Allen b. 17 FEB 1951 Ft. Sill, Okla.
- (2) David Lee b. 28 JUN 1962 Ft. Riley, Ks.
- (3) Linda Lou b. 3 AUG 1959 Harrisburg, Pa.
- (4) Jerily Ruth b. 4 SEP 1956 Ft. Riley, Ks.
- (5) Sue Ann b. 14 MAR 1953 Minneapolis, Minn.
- (6) William Gordon b. 5 NOV 1954 Lanstuhl, Germany.

Vance Walters is a career member of the U. S. Army having been drafted in 1960, discharged JUN 1962 and re-entered MAY 1969. He served in Vietnam JUN 1970 to MAY 1971; was stationed in Hawaii AUG 1972 to SEP 1975; duty in Germany MAR 1979 to MAR 1982. He is currently Flight Operations Sgt. (rank E-8 Master Sgt.) at San Antonio, Texas where the family resides.

142. MILDRED V. HEIFNER (Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 10 DEC 1913 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio d. 27 JAN 1981 Ashland, Ohio dau. of Bia Heifner and Mabel V. Vesper m. 22 JUN 1935 Kenneth G. Fish b. California AD s. of Grant Fish and Rosa - - -.

Children: (Surname FISH)

+317. James Leon b. 29 DEC 1937.

318. Anita Louise b. 13 DEC 1942 m. John Decker b. 18 MAR 1948. No issue.

The father of Kenneth Fish died in a train accident and his mother died at his birth, leaving him an orphan. He was then adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Grant Fish and reared at Ashland, Ohio.

Kenneth was a machine shop foreman until taking his retirement from that occupation; he has since worked as a bank courier. Family residence is at Ashland, Ohio.

143. CLEO M. HEIFNER (Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 4 OCT 1915 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of Bia Heifner and Mabel V. Vesper m. 24 DEC 1937 to Erva A. (Pete) Feazel b. 22 DEC 1915 s. of Elijah Feazel and Maude - - -.

Children: (Surname FEAZEL)

+319. Erva Jean b. 6 FEB 1949.

+320. Rebecca Lynne b. 25 JUL 1953.

This family resides at Mansfield, Ohio.

144. BONITA G. HEIFNER (Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 4 SEP 1921 nr. Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of Bia Heifner and Mabel V. Vesper m. 24 JAN 1944 John M. McNaul b. 20 NOV 1920 s. of Cloyd McNaul and Edna - - -.

Children: (Surname McNAULL)

+321. Tom b. 1 MAR 1948.

+322. Melanie b. 16 JAN 1951.

+323. Michael H. B. 23 MAR 1955.

324. Dan b. 4 JAN 1958 m. 11 APR 1981 Deborah Stokes b. 1 OCT 1959 dau. of Robert Stanley Stokes and Joyce Cosby.

Family residence at Ashland, Ohio.

145. WILMA HEIFNER (Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 14 OCT 1923 nr. Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of Bia Heifner and Mabel V. Vesper m. 8 NOV 1946 at Ashland, Ohio to Joe G. Pinkley b. 26 DEC 1920 Medina Co., Ohio s. of Glen Pinkley and Ada Williams.

Children: (Surname PINCKLEY)

325. Jane d. c.1949 (stillborn).
326. Unnamed child d. inf. (premature).
327. Robert Kenneth b. 17 SEP 1955 m. 18 JUN 1983 Denice Kestner b. 17 JUL 1960 dau. of Paul A. Kenstner and Vera Eichelberger. Robert was a maintenance employe of Ashland College prior to entering in the Fall of 1983 Hocking Technical College at Nelsonville, Ohio.
328. Jane Marie b. 9 SEP 1958. She was employed as a maintenance employe of city parks by the city of Ashland, Ohio prior to entering Military service. She was stationed AUG 1983 at Rickenbacher A.F. Base with the rank of Staff Sgt.

Joe Pinckley served in the U. S. Army during WWII. In occupation, he is employed as Ohio Veteran's Officer with the office at Ashland, Ohio.

Wilma Pinckley has been employed for many years with a travel agency at Ashland, Ohio. Her mother resides with Joe and Wilma Pinckley where she has long been an integral part of their family life, aiding and sharing the congenial home setting.

146. EVELYN HAWKS (Hazel Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 10 FEB 1917 dau. of John Hawks and Hazel Vesper m. Walter Evans who is deceased, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname EVANS)

329. (AD) Rose.
330. (AD) Raymond.

Evelyn Evans resides at Ashland, Ohio.

149. BESSIE HAWKS (Hazel Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 12 JAN 1925 m. and divd. Sherwood Coleman, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname COLEMAN)

331. John.
332. Janice.
333. Richard.

Bessie Coleman resides in South Carolina.

150. HAROLD VESPER (Glenn G. K. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 1 JUN 1925 s. of Glenn Gilbert Koch Vesper and Grace Rholetter m. 24 DEC 1946 Betty Eileen Harden b. 30 DEC 1926 dau. of Delbert Wayne Harden and Fredaricka Margaret Frisch.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

- +334. Danny Eugene b. 4 SEP 1948.
+335. Linda Ellen b. 11 APR 1951.

Harold Vesper is an employe of Tappan Stove Co., of Mansfield, Ohio where the family resides.

152. HELEN VIRGINIA MURRY (Helen M., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 20 APR 1918 dau. of Lewis Murry Jr. and Helen Koch m. Frank Richards, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname RICHARDS)

- 336. James b. 15 AUG 1941.
- 337. Kay b. 15 OCT 1942.
- 338. Dennis b. 15 SEP 1944/45.
- 339. Patricia b. 7 JUN 1951.

Family residence at Rocky River, Ohio.

158. JOHN MILTON SPENCER (Anna Glorene, Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 21 APR 1930 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio s. of Clarence Spencer and Anna Glorene Koch m. 23 OCT 1950 at Ashland, Ohio to Norma Jean Witmer b. 6 AUG 1931 Ashland, Ohio dau. of Walter K. Witmer and Doris Merle Freytag.

Children: (Surname SPENCER)

- +340. Stephen Lane b. 24 OCT 1951.
- +341. Sharon Lynn b. 1 APR 1954.

159. DAVID LEE SPENCER (Anna Glorene, Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 16 FEB 1939 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio s. of Clarence Spencer and Anna Glorene Koch m. 30 JUN 1973 Ashland, Ohio to Mary Helen Wilttrout b. 30 JUL 1943 Ashland, Ohio dau. of Harold James Wilttrout and Myrtle Jane Gongwer.

Children: (Surname SPENCER)

- 342. (AD) Deborah Jane b. 29 DEC 1961 Ashland, Ohio. (Mary Spencer's dau. by a previous marriage.)
- 342. Michael David b. 9 MAR 1977 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.

David Lee Spencer is a machine operator in occupation.

160. LILA MAY KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 MAY 1933 Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 22 DEC 1951 William Leiter b. 30 JUL 1932 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio s. of Chester Leiter and Laura Catharine Harry.

Children: (Surname LEITER)

- +343. Sharon Sue b. 2 MAY 1952.
- +344. Anthony Mark b. 30 APR 1955.
- 345. Keith Eugene b. 8 FEB 1957.
- +346. John Walton b. 24 JAN 1961.
- 347. William Douglas b. 5 FEB 1965.

This family resides at Ashland, Ohio.

161. GEORGE WALTON KOCH JR. (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 JUL 1935 Ashland Co., Ohio s. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 19 JUN 1960 Cheryl Obrecht b. 4 JAN 1939 Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of Ralph Lowell Obrecht and Selma Margaret Snyder.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 348. Christopher Walton b. 20 MAY 1963.
- 349. Melissa Margaret b. 16 MAR 1965.
- 350. Mechell Maria b. 15 JUL 1966.

Residence at Loudonville, Ohio.

162. ORA ISAAH KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 11 APR 1937 Ashland Co., Ohio s. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 19 JUL 1958 to Lila June Null b. 27 JUN 1942, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +351. Karen Kay b. 30 JUN 1956.
- +352. Donna Sue b. 17 FEB 1961.
- 353. Brian Ora b. 7 DEC 1962.
- 354. James Van b. 18 SEP 1963.

Residence at Ashland, Ohio.

163. PEGGY NINA KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 26 JAN 1939 Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 24 SEP 1956 Gerald Lane b. 15 SEP 1939 s. of Homer Henry Lane and Eunice Caton.

Children: (Surname LANE)

- 355. Gary Eugene b. 23 JUL 1957 m. 7 APR 1978 Kandis Lee Kelly b. 30 SEP 1947 dau. of Gerald Kelly and Esther Moore.
- 356. Jeffrey Alan b. 8 MAY 1960 m. 10 OCT 1981 Rachalle Anne (Shelly) Davis b. 31 OCT 1961 dau. of Richard Davis and Tina Mastnik.
- 357. Brenda Kay b. 27 JUN 1963.
- 358. Jeremy Jay b. 14 JUN 1973.

This family resides at Ashland, Ohio.

164. PATSY CAROL KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 18 MAR 1941 Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 18 MAR 1967 and divd. Art Snyder b. 27 NOV 1942, his parentage not given. Patsy resides at Millersburg, Ohio.

Children: (Surname SNYDER)

- 359. Ronnie Lee b. 21 JUL 1962.
- 360. Jessie James b. 20 SEP 1967.
- 361. Peggy Sue b. 14 JUL 1968.

165. RICHARD MILTON KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 7 MAY 1943 Ashland Co., Ohio s. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m/1 5 JUL 1963 and divd. 21 OCT 1976 Penny Kirkpatrick b. 26 SEP 1945 dau. of Eldon John Kirkpatrick and Ruth Imhoff.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 362. Lori Ann b. 11 APR 1964.
- 363. Timothy Blake b. 29 MAR 1969.
- 364. Steven Lee b. 23 DEC 1970.
- 365. Jennifer Lynn b. 16 FEB 1973.

Richard M. Koch m/2 on 7 JUN 1980 Sarah Daniel b. 2 MAR 1947 West Virginia dau. of Loren Gene Daniel and Mattie Marie Dickens. They reside at Ashland, Ohio.

166. RALPH MITCHELL KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 29 JAN 1945 Ashland Co., Ohio s. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m/1 1 JUN 1965 and divd. Sharon Whitehead, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 366. Ralph Jr. d. OCT 1965.

Ralph M. Koch m/2 on 19 SEP 1970 at Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio to Katherine Sloan b. 29 MAR 1946 dau. of Paul Eugene Sloan and Vera Florence Kaufman.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 367. Jason Lee b. 29 JUL 1971 (stillborn) Ashland, Ohio.
- 368. Amy Lynn b. 3 APR 1974 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio (Mansfield General Hospital).

This family resides at Shiloh, Ohio.

167. DOUGLAS DALE KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 27 MAR 1947 Ashland Co., Ohio s. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 17 APR 1971 Pat Obrecht b. 29 AUG 1936, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 369. Barbara Obrecht b. 17 OCT 1957.
- +370. Patricia Obrecht.

Residence at Loudonville, Ohio.

170. JERRY EUGENE KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 26 APR 1954 Ashland Co., Ohio s. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 24 JUN 1974 Kay Neece b. 10 FEB 1957 dau. of Billy Lee Neece and Ruby Allene Lambert.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

371. Adina Lynne b. 2 DEC 1974.
372. Jerry Eugene II b. 3 JUN 1977.

Residence at Ashland, Ohio.

171. JOY LYNN KOCH (George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 10 AUG 1956 Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of George W. Koch and Helen Kaufman m. 12 AUG 1978 Steven Plank b. 29 MAR 1953 s. of Doyle Eugene Plank and Virginia Mae Arnold.

Children: (Surname PLANK)

373. Levi Steven b. 11 JUN 1979.
374. Andrew Alan b. 27 FEB 1982.

This family resides at Ashland, Ohio.

175. EARL HARPER JR. (Marguerite, Simon R., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 1 MAY 1924 McAlester, Pittsburg Co., Okla. s. of Earl Harper and Marguerite Koch m. 15 OCT 1955 McAlester, Okla. to Nellie Lee Raffeis b. 1 FEB 1925 McAlester, Okla. dau. of Ruby Stephen Raffeis and Rosalie Walker.

Children: (Surname HARPER)

375. Paul Douglas b. 26 SEP 1956 Tulsa, Tulsa Co., Okla. m. 8 JUL 1978 Boardman, Ohio (Calvary Baptist church) to Karen Faye Yeager b. 11 DEC 1955 Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio (White Cross Hospital) dau. of Hayes Pritchard Yeager and Nancy Jane Heemstra. No issue. Paul attended Bowling Green (Ohio) State Univ., grad. JUN 1978 B.S. degree in Microbiology/Chemistry. Currently (OCT 1983) attending the Univ. of Cincinnati business school toward MBA degree. Karen attended Bowling Green State Univ., grad. JUN 1978 BS degree in Journalism/Public Relations. Reside Cincinnati, Ohio.
376. Donald Wayne b. 1 FEB 1958 Tulsa, Tulsa Co., Okla. m. 17 SEP 1983 Canton, Ohio (St. Paul's church) to Sharon Faye McKenna b. 6 MAY 1960 Canton, Stark Co., Ohio dau. of David Raymon McKenna and Alma Faye Aartshorn. Donald attended Ohio State Univ., grad DEC 1980 BSME degree and is employed as an engineer. Sharon attended Stark Technical College where she studied medical assistance.

Earl and Nellie Harper reside at Westlake, Ohio.

176. MARIE KOCH (Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 15/16 NOV 1907 Allen Co., Ind. m. (lic. 19 JUL 1932 Allen Co., Ind.) Robert Fabera b. 2 FEB 1901 N.Y. s. of John Fabera and Mary Lebarda. Marie's parents were Lessie Koch and Veronica (Nettie) Hinen.

Children: (Surname FABERA) = For carrydown, see Addendum at end of Gen. Six

- +377. Basil (twin).
+378. Barbara (twin).

- + 379. Robert.
- + 380. Marion (f).
- + 381. George.
- + 382. Ralph.

(Sorry, very late response. CEB)

Residence at Prescott, Michigan. Unable to obtain replies to correspondence.

177. WILBUR FRANCIS KOCH (Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 11 MAR 1909 Allen Co., Ind. d. 18 JUN 1976 (Ae 67) Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital) bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. s. of Lessie Koch and Nettie Hinen m. 30 MAY 1931 Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. (No. Scipio Un. M.E. church by Howard Brown to Janet Magdellean Gorrell b. 18 JAN 1907 d. 18 FEB 1977 Byron Health Center, Fort Wayne, Ind. bur. Scipio Cem., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Cyrus Gorrell and Mary Catherine Hutker.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +383. Thomas Wilbur Koch b. 4 DEC 1933.
- +384. Edward Wilbur b. 24 JUL 1937.
- +385. Rudy Wilbur b. 24/28 MAY 1943.
- 386. Mary Jo b. 24 APR 1945 m. Leo Horn s. of Vernon Horn and Ruth - - -.
No issue. Leo is employed by Falstaff Brewing Corp. at Fort Wayne, Ind. and Mary Jo by General Electric Co. at Fort Wayne.
Residence nr. Harlan, Indiana.

Wilbur F. Koch was a lifelong farmer in occupation.

Janet Koch's brother, Clifford Gorrell, married Marcelene Koch a sister of Wilbur F. Koch.

Obituary: Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; Saturday, June 19, 1976.

Wilbur F. Koch, 67, of R. R. 1, Antwerp, O., who retired from farming in 1972, died Friday in Parkview Memorial Hospital where he was admitted Thursday.

A lifelong resident of Allen County, he is survived by his wife, Janet; three sons, Thomas and Edward, R. R. 3, Grabill, and Rudy, Fort Wayne; a daughter, Mrs. Leo Horn, Harlan; a brother, George, of R. R. 1, Antwerp, and two sisters, Mrs. Marie Fabera, Prescott, Mich., and Mrs. Clifford Gorrell, Grabill.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday in North Scipio United Methodist Church with burial in Scipio Cemetery. Friends may call at Hockemeyer Funeral Home, Harlan, from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. today or at the church after Sunday noon.

Services by Harlan Lodge 296, F&AM, will be at 7 p.m. today. Preferred memorials are gifts to the church.

Mr. Koch was a member of Harlan Lodge, F&AM, and the order of Eastern Star.

The farm of Wilbur Koch was located near that of his brother George Koch and in the vicinity of the farm that had been owned by their father, Lessie Koch.

Obituary:

Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; Saturday, February 19, 1977.

Mrs. Janet M. Koch, 70, R. R. 1, Antwerp, O., a lifelong resident of Allen County, died Friday in Byron Health Center where she resided six months.

Surviving are three sons, Thomas and Edward, R. R. 3, Grabill, and Rudy, Fort Wayne; a daughter, Mrs. Leo Horn, Harlan; a sister, Mrs. Genevieve Harris, Fort Wayne, and three brothers, Granville and Hanely Gorrell, Fort Wayne, and Clifford Gorrell, Grabill.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday in North Scipio United Methodist Church, with burial in Scipio Cemetery. Friends may call at Hockemeyer Funeral Home, Harlan, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. today or at the church after Sunday noon.

Order of Eastern Star services are at 7:30 p.m. today. Preferred memorials are gifts to the Parkinson Foundation.

178. MARCELENE THERESA KOCH (Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 12 MAR 1914 Scipio Twp., Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Lessie Koch and Veronica (Nettie) Hinen m. 27 JAN 1934 Allen Co., Ind. (No. Scipio Twp.) to Paul Clifford Gorrell b. 22 SEP 1909 Milan Twp., Allen Co., Ind. s. of Cyrus Gerard Gorrell and Mary Catherine Huter.

Children: (Surname GORRELL)

- +387. Richard Paul b. 22 JUL 1935.
- +388. Susan Theresa b. 9 NOV 1936.
- +389. David Paul b. 6 SEP 1939.

Clifford (as he is commonly known) Gorrell, or "Cy", is a journeyman electrician and followed this trade for 25 years, retiring in 1976 from the employment of the Central Electric Co. of Fort Wayne, Ind. He also farmed for a period of 17 years.

The family residence is located near Grabill and Harlan, Ind.

178½. GEORGE KOCH (Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 10 APR 1917 Allen Co., Ind. s. of Lessie Koch and Veronica (Nettie) Hinen m. 2 APR 1939 Allen Co., Ind. by H. J. Brown to Juanita Rose Walker b. 19 JUN 1918 dau. of Luman Lee Walker and Gail Overholt.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- +390. Patty Jean b. 31 JUL 1935.
- +391. Jerry b. 10 FEB 1941.
- +392. Kenneth b. 16 MAR 1943.
- +393. Jack Leslie b. 10 OCT 1950.

George Koch has been a lifelong farmer and resident of Allen Co., Ind. His farm is located adjacent to farm property of his parents southeast of Harlan, Ind. and near the Ohio state line. Conversation with children of George and Juanita Koch indicate that this is a close-knit family.

179. LLOYD L. COBURN (Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 14 APR 1896 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 15 JUN 1979 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m. 9 SEP 1916 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio Mayme Lucia Burlingame b. 13 NOV 1894 Delavan, Tazewell Co., Ill. living 1984 dau. of Jesse H. Burlingame and Emma Stubbs.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+394. Lloyd Paul b. 3 AUG 1919 d. 10 JUN 1969.

Lloyd Coburn was employed by the B & O Railroad as an accounting clerk, first in the offices at Garrett, Ind. and then at Akron, Ohio until his retirement. His latter years were spent at Hicksville, Ohio where he and Mayme were near their relatives and also the scene of youthful years and acquaintances.

180. AUDREY EUNICE COBURN (Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 18 APR 1898 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. living 1984 dau. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m. 20 JUN 1920 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio by D. L. Dunkleberger, Christian Church min., to Fay Arthur Wilmot b. 1 JUN 1897 St. Joe, Ind. living 1984 s. of Arthur Wilmot and Josephine E. Allen.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

+395. (AD) Jack Wade b. 22 MAR 1938.

Fay Wilmot served during WWI in the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers in Europe.

He worked at the machinist trade all his adult life, having been employed by S. F. Bowser Co. and International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind. and also for some years was a partner in an independent machine shop at this location.

After retirement, Fay and Audrey removed to a location very near the Coburn's Corners Church of Christ and then about 1982 to a retirement home at Auburn, Ind. Both are lifelong members of the Church of Christ and the Christian Church.

181. ESTEL LEE COBURN (Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 12 OCT 1899 Newville Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 2 APR 1980 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio (emphysema) bur. Greenwood Cem., Willard, Ohio s. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m/1 2 NOV 1921 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich. Thelma G. Kiracofe b. 8 JAN 1900 Paulding, Paulding Co., Ohio d. 5 OCT 1967 Bradenton, Manatee Co., Florida bur. Greenwood Cem., Willard, Ohio dau. of John J. Kiracofe and Fanny Belle Maper.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

+396. Martha Ann b. 23 AUG 1922.

+397. Barbara Mae b. 25 MAR 1924.

+398. William Riley III b. 28 NOV 1926.

+399. Joseph Lee b. 7 NOV 1928 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 12 JUL 1977 Calif. (freeway auto accident)

Estel Coburn m/2 24 JAN 1970 Frances Cleona Bixler who survived him, now res. at Willard, Ohio. She had m/1 - - - Frost and had dau. Frances; poss. others.

In occupation, Estel was employed by the B & O Railroad as a station agent, stationed first at Hicksville, Ohio and later at Willard, Ohio. Upon retirement, residence was taken in Bradenton, Fla. where he remained until just before his death. Arrangements had been made to return to Willard, Ohio to be near some of the children and death occurred within days after reaching Willard.

182. PAULINE EDITH COBURN (Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 27 AUG 1904 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 15 AUG 1959 Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Forest Park Cem., Hicksville, Ohio dau. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m. 14 JUL 1923 Hillsdale, Hillsdale, Mich. to Paul Elias Miller b. 4 NOV 1906 Grover Hill, Paulding Co., Ohio d. 30 SEP 1975 Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio bur. Forest Park Cem., Hicksville, Ohio s. of Jesse Emmett Miller and Eva Lizetta Crall.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

+400. Douglas Jack b. 27 JUL 1927.

+401. Patricia Ellen b. 30 JUL 1929.

In occupation, Paul Miller was a dairyman and hog producer. He and Pauline were active members of the Church of Christ and resided near Hicksville, Ohio.

Paul Miller m/2 on 29 DEC 1960 Vera Berenyi b. 26 APR 1916 living 1977 dau. of Gabor Berenyi and Elizabeth Burger. No issue of this marriage.

184. GEORGIA MAE COBURN (Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 17 FEB 1910 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 6 NOV 1979 Bradenton, Manatee Co., Florida (at the home of her brother Estel Coburn) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Harmon A. Coburn and Bertha M. Wade m. 6 OCT 1928 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. Norval Withrow b. 15 DEC 1904 Hoytville, Wood Co., Ohio d. 10 JAN 1976 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (hospital) bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Delmar S. Withrow and Anna Rae Snook.

Children: (Surname WITHROW)

+402. Norval Eugene b. 20 MAY 1930.

+403. Carolyn Sue b. 30 MAY 1934.

Norval Withrow was a city mail carrier at Garrett, Ind. which was the family's place of residence until his retirement, after which he and Georgia lived at Fish Lake in Lagrange Co., Ind. until his death. Following Norval's death, the lake property was sold and Georgia lived with daughter Carolyn's family, suffering in her latter years with arthritis and cataracts. She had gone to Florida for eye surgery at the time of her death there.

185. RUSSELL A. WADE (Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 20 APR 1904 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 29 JUL 1932 Gambier, Knox Co., Ohio bur. Riverside Cem., St.

Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Roy L. Wade and Carrie B. Engle m. 15 AUG 1923
DeKalb Co., Ind. by S. D. Steffy to Helen Vedith Lake b. 4 SEP 1903 d. 29/31
MAR 1941 (Ae 37) Garrett, Ind., DeKalb Co., Inc. (Sacred Heart Hosp.) bur.
Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. dau. of Nelson Lake and Amanda E. Beams.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +404. Bernadine b. 23 SEP 1924.
- +405. Imalee b. 7 NOV 1927.
- +406. Carroll Lucille b. 8 JAN 1929.

Russell and Helen were married at the home of her grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Beams; she having been raised by them. The daughters of Russell's uncle Lloyd Wade assisted in the wedding party, Edith as flower girl and Janice and Mary as ring bearers.

Russell Wade was employed by the Ohio Power Co. as a lineman and his death occurred in the course of duty while removing a tree limb from a power line.

186. ALBERT M. WADE (Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 9 APR 1902 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Roy L. Wade and Carrie B. Engle m. 24 AUG 1921 Madonna H. Kinsey b. 6 FEB 1904 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Frank Kinsey and Elnora Sechler.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +407. Marcie b. 18 MAY 1922.
- +408. Beverley b. 30 OCT 1925.
- +409. Margaret b. 24 SEP 1928.
- +410. Marilyn b. 19 MAY 1930.
- +411. Edward b. 26 NOV 1931.
- +412. Sally b. 6 NOV 1933.
- +413. Franklin b. 16 JUL 1936.

In occupation, Albert Wade has worked as a mechanic. Following marriage, the family resided at Detroit, Michigan where Albert worked in the auto industry until the days of the Great Depression when the family returned to Indiana and he found positions with various companies located in DeKalb County. Madonna was employed for some years as a clerk in the Post Office at St. Joe. Indiana where they maintained their residence.

187. GEORGE ELWOOD WADE (Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 17 MAR 1914 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Roy L. Wade and Carrie B. Engle m. 20 MAY 1932 DeKalb Co., Ind. to Helen E. Storer b. 12 JAN 1913 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Edward Storer and Katie D. Lovett.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- +414. Gwynn Lee b. 11 JAN 1933.
- +415. Karen Kay b. 23 JAN 1944.

+416. Michelle Joanne b. 2 NOV 1945.

417. George Martin (Pete) b. 25 JAN 1958; attended Ball State University at Muncie, Indiana and now manages the building products company operated by his father at Angola, Steuben Co., Ind.

George and Helen Wade were married right after having completed high school and he found employment as a railroad section hand. A venture also was made into the grocery business at St. Joe, Ind. utilizing part of their home as a store. This was followed by participation in a building products operation at Garrett, Ind. including the manufacture of concrete building blocks and other items and the family home was maintained at Garrett for a number of years. Finally, a new business was established at Angola in Steuben Co., Ind. retailing materials for home and business construction and maintenance. With the success of this latest venture, the family home was relocated to Lake Pleasant near Orland, Ind.

George Wade has had to have heart bypass surgery in recent years and now limits his activity to a more relaxed pace and merely oversees operation of the family business.

188. JANICE AUDREY WADE (Lloyd O. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 2 NOV 1911 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Lloyd O. Wade and Audrey E. Butler m. 22 JAN 1930 Spencerville, Ind. to Gale Theodore Bowser b. 5 JUN 1908 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Raymond U. Bowser and Ethel Brockerman.

Children: (Surname BOWSER)

+418. James Edward b. 22 APR 1931.

+419. Jerry Wade b. 6 MAY 1932.

Gale Bowser owned and operated a a successful automotive service station for a number of years at Spencerville, Ind. and Janice was employed until retiring at the City National Bank of Auburn, Indiana.

Residence always has been at Spencerville, Indiana and now is a comfortable home on the banks of the St. Joseph River at the edge of that town.

189. MARY ELIZABETH WADE (Lloyd O. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 13 SEP 1913 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Lloyd O. Wade and Audrey E. Butler m. prob. c.1939 Edd Russell Hellen b. 26 NOV 1915 Halls, Lauderdale Co., Tenn, his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HELLEN)

420. Unnamed son (stillborn).

+421. Timothy Wade b. 13 JAN 1942 m. and divd. Patsy Jones.

422. Jon Cary b. 26 NOV 1944.

423. Thomas Russell b. 28 APR 1953.

Edd Hellen owned an electronics business at Memphis, Tennessee which prospered especially under the influence of the popular trend of Citizen's Band radios throughout the land. This business is now operated by Edd and Mary's sons.

The family residence always has been maintained at Memphis, Tenn. where Edd and Mary now have an excellent property. Their winters are spent in Florida.

190. EDITH JANE WADE (Lloyd O. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 18 JUN 1917 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 30 OCT 1975 North Carolina dau. of Lloyd O. Wade and Audrey E. Butler m. 23 NOV 1938 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Milton McGrath b. 1915 Baltimore, Md. s. of Milton McGrath Sr. and Lucy Victoria Bugg.

Children: (Surname McGRATH)

424. Kevin b. 1 JUL 1953 m. Kim - - -.

Edith Wade was a very attractive young lady and did some modeling in Fort Wayne, Ind. while attending business school there prior to marriage.

Milton McGrath was possessed of the characteristics one might normally associate with a salesman and always followed this profession, first employed at Fort Wayne, Ind. and later in Florida where he and Edith resided most of their married life.

191. MUSA E. WADE (Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 10 MAY 1906 DeKalb Co, Ind. dau. of Clifford M. Wade and Frankie F. Parker m/1 26 NOV 1926 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. to Floyd D. Snoke b. 17 MAY 1904 Claypool, Kosciusko Co., Ind. d. 30 JUN 1949 Claypool, Ind. s. of William J. Snoke and Melissa M. Thompson.

Children: (Surname SNOKE)

+425. Janice Elaine b. 6 JAN 1928.

+426. Robert Maurice b. 26 JAN 1929.

Following the death of Floyd Snoke, Musa m/2 on 27 DEC 1950 at Claypool, Ind. Pete Kutcher b. 23 SEP 1907 d. 11 DEC 1954 bur. Graceland Cem., Claypool, Ind. s. of John Kutcher and Katherine Jacynik. No issue. Pete Kutcher had m. prev. and divd.

Musa Kutcher now resides at North Manchester, Indiana.

192. GLEN PARKER WADE (Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 14 AUG 1908 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio d. 6 NOV 1978 Kosciusko Co., Ind. bur. Garden of Memory Cem., Huntington Co., Ind. s. of Clifford M. Wade and Frankie F. Parker m/1 13 OCT 1930 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. to Roberta J. Black b. 14 MAR 1909 Claypool, Kosciusko Co., Ind. d. 5 OCT 1969 bur. Garden of Memory Cem., Huntington Co., Ind. dau. of Walter Black and Maud Decker.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+427. John Thomas b. 9 AUG 1940.

Glen Wade m/2 on 5 JUN 1971 at Wabash, Wabash Co., Ind. to Mary Elizabeth Weaver

b. 10 SEP 1911 Wabash Co., Ind. dau. of A. E. Weaver and Dora Anstine.

Glen Wade was a farmer at the time of his first marriage but later was employed by the U. S. Gypsum Co. in their plant at Wabash, Ind. and in JUN 1971 was a foreman there.

The family residence was at Wabash, Ind. while Glen was working there but upon retirement, he removed to Big Chapman Lake near Warsaw, Ind., residing at that place at the time of his death. Mary Wade then returned to Wabash, Ind. where she now resides.

196. GEAROLD CALVIN WADE (Stearl E. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 DEC 1911 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 26 JAN 1974 Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Stearl E. Wade and Delphia A. Coburn m. 12 OCT 1933 at Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio to Lucille Gingrich b. 9 JUN 1908 dau. of Ward Gingrich and Daisy Pearl Osmun. Gearold is bur. at Lost Creek Cem., nr. Hicksville, Ohio.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+428. Ann b. 5 MAR 1936.

At the time of his death, Gearold Wade was owner of a successful marine products manufacturing company (boat fittings and accessories) located at Syracuse, Ind. Since then, Lucille Wade has continued to own and operate this business, maintaining the family residence near Edgerton, Ohio and commuting to and from the business location every day.

198. IRENE HELEN WADE (Stearl E. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 JUL 1920 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Stearl E. Wade and Delphia A. Coburn m/1 16 JAN 1936 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Chester J. Hodge, J. P. and divd. JUN 1959 Kenneth Creager b. 3 OCT 1914 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ray Creager and Mary Cherry.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

+429. Richard Wayne b. 29 AUG 1936.

+430. Jerry Dean b. 15 SEP 1942.

+431. William Gene b. 3 SEP 1944.

+432. Roger Dale b. 1 JAN 1948.

Irene Creager m/2 on 7 DEC 1970 at Pontiac, Mich. to Jack W. Carter b. 10 FEB 1929 New York City s. of William Carter and Ilene Kukluk. Jack Carter had m/1 and divd. 1969 Vera Minier b. 10 OCT 1927 dau. of Harvey Minier and Nellie - - -.

Jack and Irene Carter resided at Warren, Michigan while he followed his trade of sheet metal worker in construction and maintained a summer home at Hamilton Lake, Hamilton, Ind. Now that he has retired, they reside full time at this latter location.

200. DONALD HARRY WADE (Stearl E. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 26 NOV 1925 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Stearl E. Wade and Delphia A. Coburn m. 21 OCT

1956 at Monroe, Monroe Co., Mich. to Violet Everly b. 13 FEB 1923 West Virginia dau. of Frank Everly and Eva Butcher.

Children: (Surname WADE)

433. Donna b. 5 OCT 1957.

434. Tommy b. 8 FEB 1959.

435. Becky (stillborn) 23 JAN 1962 bur. Alton Cem., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Donald Wade is employed by Dana Corp. at Auburn, Ind. and commutes to work daily. He also owns the farm property formerly belonging to his parents and regularly raises a grain crop.

The family residence is located near Edgerton, Ohio.

202. CHARLES EVERT BENJAMIN (Jessie M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 5 JAN 1914 Grabill, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Charles O. Benjamin and Jessie M. Wade m. 18 MAY 1940 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Dorothy May Zentz b. 6 APR 1919 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Arthur Clark Zentz and Emma Dolan.

Children: (Surname BENJAMIN)

+436. Larry Lew b. 15 JUN 1942.

+437. James Wade b. 13 MAY 1945.

+438. Janell Rae b. 3 FEB 1953.

439. Sally Kathryn b. 29 MAR 1959 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) m. 23 MAY 1980 at Fort Wayne, Ind. (Calvary Temple Chapel by Pastor Paul Paino) to Neal Butler b. 12 AUG 1958 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Richard Butler and Peggy Jean Hanefield. Neal Butler is owner-operator of a grocery store in Fort Wayne and also devotes some time to ministering at a youth center, having studied for the ministry. Sally Butler has studied at Purdue Univ., Fort Wayne campus, grad. 1981 B.S. Degree in Psychology; grad. work at St. Francis College, Fort Wayne, on MS Degree in Psychometry; now enrolled at Indiana Univ., Fort Wayne campus, completing requirements for elementary school teaching. She also assists when possible in operation of the family grocery store and is active in church work; also, with sister Janell pursues a program of child ministry with presentations periodically at churches of various denominations throughout a wide area of Indiana and Ohio.

Charles and Dorothy Benjamin were divd. in 1964 and she m/2 Richard Schieffer.

Charles Benjamin attended public schools at Peru, Indiana with emphasis on music with participation in both orchestra and band playing the trombone. He then completed business training at the College of Commerce in South Bend, Ind. and also supplemented his education with a variety of night courses in business and technical fields. His early employment included a position as bookkeeper in a construction firm and a secretarial position with S. F. Bowser & Co., at

Fort Wayne, Ind. His major employer, however, has been International Harvester Co., Fort Wayne, Ind. where for some 38 years he worked in the Engineering Department of the Truck Division divided equally between the positions of purchasing head and administrative aide to the department manager in charge of the motor truck design development. In addition, Charles maintained a commercial and portrait photography studio for nearly ten years at Monroeville, Ind. where the family then resided. Another active interest since 1952 has been amateur radio in which he participated as a builder of his own equipment and antennae and held operating schedules with fellow amateurs throughout the world.

Upon retiring in 1974, Charles became involved in genealogy. Initially this interest was sparked by a desire to learn about merely his own background but the challenges of genealogical research were found to be so absorbing that in time other interests planned for retirement were pushed aside. He published his first genealogical book, "Solomon Gee of Lyme, Connecticut and His Descendants" in 1981. Aside from the present series of three volumes tracing families that were early settlers at Coburntown in DeKalb Co., Ind., other full-blown genealogies also are planned.

His church affiliation is First Christian. Residence is located at New Haven, Ind.

204. HILDA IRENE VOLKERT (Elmer J. Volkert, Samantha A., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 18 OCT 1909 dau. of Elmer J. Volkert and Goldie Treace m. 23 NOV 1939 Wayne Edward Schroeder b. 25 FEB 1907 s. of Charles L. Schroeder and Emma Kruse.

Children: (Surname SCHROEDER)

+440. Thomas Edward b. 2 SEP 1950.

441. Gregory Wayne b. 23 NOV 1953 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. unm.

Wayne Schroeder is now retired from his position as office clerk at the Wayne Pipe & Supply Co. of Fort Wayne, Ind. He previously held a similar position with Wayne Vaughn Co. of Fort Wayne. Hilda Schroeder has been employed most of her married years, having worked for Indian Refining Co., Wayne Pump Co., Fort Wayne Blue Print Supply Co., City Glass Co., Wilson Insurance Co. and Dedman's Insurance Co. For the past 19 years, she has been employed as secretary-bookkeeper by Tools & Abrasives of Fort Wayne.

The family residence always has been located in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

206. HAROLD VOLKERT (Elmer J. Volkert, Samantha A., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 29 MAR 1915 s. of Elmer J. Volkert and Goldie Treace m. OCT 1939 Arline Scheubel, her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname VOLKERT)

+442. Lana m. Nicholas Wilkins. Formerly resided at Ann Arbor, Mich. but now understood to live in North Carolina. It is believed that they have two sons but necessary details are missing.

Harold and Arline Volkert reside at Hudson, Michigan but nothing further is known due to lack of response to queries.

208. CHESTER EARL GEISINGER (Alfred J. Geisinger, Sarah L., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. APR 1896 Ind. s. of Alfred/Alford J. Geisinger and Lovina A. Hine m. Fern Merritt, her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname GEISINGER)

443. Josephine (deceased) m. - - - Emmons and res. at Billings, Montana.
Reported to have had a child but details are missing.

Chester and Fern Geisinger resided at Coolin, Idaho.

209. HELEN H. GEISINGER (Lewis N. Geisinger, Sarah L., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 5 MAY 1910 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Dr. Lewis N. Geisinger and Effie A. Hines m. 5 SEP 1937 at Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. O. B. Norton to Russell C. Hanselman b. 30 OCT 1908 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. d. 9 AUG 1983 Ae 74 bur. Woodlawn Cem., Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Clarence Hanselman and Lola Sutton.

Children: (Surname HANSELMAN)

444. Keith Lewis b. 28 MAY 1943 DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 26 MAY 1968 at Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., Minn. to Barbara A. Crary b. 28 NOV 1943 dau. of Robert Crary and Beatrice - - -. Both Keith and Barbara attended Yorktown College in South Dakota. He is now employed as a rural mail carrier but has the primary responsibility of operating an orchard at Lake Gage in Steuben Co., Ind. No issue of this marriage.

Russell Hanselman was a physician on the teaching staff of Presbyterian St. Lukes in Chicago and also had a private practice in surgery. Helen Hanselman attended Oberlin College grad. BS Degree in Chemistry and also attended Smith College at Northampton, Mass. grad. MS Degree. She researched at the Skin and Cancer Hospital in New York City and also served the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana as Bacteriologist.

The family residence was for 40 years in Chicago, Ill. and since about 1978 at Auburn, Indiana.

212. VERA BLANCHE WALTER (Pearl Mae, John U. Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 8 DEC 1903 DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 1969 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George T. Walter and Pearl Mae Koch m. 25 DEC 1921 at Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind. by Rev. S. Hininger to Waldo E. Rosenbury b. 1900 d. APR 1977 bur. Riverside Cem., St. Joe, Ind. s. of John F. Rosenbury and Martha E. Smith.

Children: (Surname ROSENBURY)

+445. Robert Wayne b. 5 APR 1927.
+446. Charles Wendell b. 29 DEC 1929.
+447. Carol Aileen b. 25 OCT 1930.
448. Lorene Mae b. 28 FEB 1933 d. inf.

449. Unnamed dau. b. & d. 25 OCT 1936.
450. David Lawrence b. 31 JAN 1938 d. inf.

Members of the Rosenbury family often find their surname spelled "Rosenberry" in error.

Waldo Rosenbury was a farmer in occupation and resided several miles north of St. Joe, Indiana.

217. CHARLES W. COBURN (Beulah D., J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 27 SEP 1914 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ella Clay Coburn and Beulah DeMerle Koch m. 9 JAN 1941 Defiance Co., Ohio to Eleanor M. Click b. 12 SEP 1919 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of George Click and Emma Cramer.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

451. Linda b. c. SEP 1941. She is understood to be an RN.
452. Jerry.

Charles and Eleanor resided at Hicksville, Ohio until shortly after the birth of daughter Linda and then removed to Jackson, Michigan where they have since made their home.

219. ELOISE ELAINE COBURN (Beulah D., J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 9 JUL 1917 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Ella Clay Coburn and Beulah DeMerle Koch m. 16 APR 1937 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. H. H. Fisher to Charles Richard Eadie b. 3 NOV 1915 Jackson, Jackson Co., Mich. s. of Charles R. Eadie Sr. and Grace Pearl Helton.

Children: (Surname EADIE)

- +453. Sharon Elaine b. 20 AUG 1938.

The stated birthdates for Charles and Eloise are taken from their marriage record and do not agree with family records giving the year of her birth as 1920 and his birth as 1917.

Residence at Jackson, Michigan.

220. HILDA M. KOCH (E. LeRoy, J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 1908 Boyne City, Charlevoix Co., Mich. dau. of E. LeRoy Koch and Adaline M. Thorpe m. 24 DEC 1927 at Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Ind. (First Presbyterian Church by Rev. J. A. Burnett) and divd. George Clifton (Cliff) Crowell foster s. of Mr. and Mrs. Ewen James Turnbull, his dates not given.

Children: (Surname CROWELL)

- +454. Jack A. Crowell b. 17 JAN 1930.
+455. James C. Crowell b. 30 NOV 1930.

Cliff Crowell was a son of George Crowell but at the age of two years he and his sister, Constance, aged four, were abandoned by their mother and were placed in the care of George Crowell's sisters, one of whom married Ewen James Turnbull. Cliff Crowell used the Turnbull surname until reaching manhood although never formally adopted and some confusion arose, understandably, about his correct surname. After his divorce from Hilda, he m/2 India - - -.

Hilda m/2 Louis Kern (as his 2nd wife) and they were later divd. He then re-m. his 1st wife and Hilda resumed use of the Crowell name to the present day.

During the year 1926, Hilda Koch accepted employment at the Studebaker Corp. in South Bend, Ind. as a file clerk. The following year, she was chosen to be Miss South Bend and advanced to Miss Indiana, going on to the pageant held at Atlantic City to select Miss America. The judges found her "too small" to win the distinguished award and Hilda is reported to have said, "I realized as soon as I stood up on the stage with those tall, stately girls that my type was not in vogue this season."

Hilda Crowell presently resides at Dayton, Ohio.

221. BRUCE CYRIL KOCH (E. LeRoy, J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 21 APR 1910 Boyne City, Charlevoix Co., Mich. d. 10 MAR 1966 bur Memorial Cem., Dayton, Ohio s. of E. LeRoy Koch and Adeline M. Thorpe m/1 16 SEP 1928 at Ripley, Chautauqua Co., N. Y. to Patrice Wineland dau. of Glen Wineland (of St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind.) b. c.1913. They divd.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

456. Dwayne b. c.OCT 1928 Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.

457. Beverly Jeanne b. 26 APR 1930 Allen Co., Ind. m. (numerous).

Beverly Patrice Koch m/2 Merle Phelps and resided at Kansas City, Missouri.

Bruch Koch m/2 on 30 JUN 1934 at Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. to Ellen Lucille Gee b. JUL 1915 at Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Howard H. Gee and Minnie Marie Metz.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+458. Richard Thorpe b. 8 MAR 1935.

+459. Ellen E. b. 21 MAY 1936.

+460. Robert Denman b. 18 JUL 1951.

Bruce Koch saw Military duty during WWII.

He first worked in Toledo, Ohio in 1928 and the following year was employed by the Auburn Auto Co. at Auburn, Ind. At Dayton, Ohio, he hauled coal and then worked as driver and dock foreman for C & D Motor Freight; then was a machinist at Duriron Foundry. Leaving that position, he managed a grocery store at Vandalia, Ohio. He next entered the contracting business and also started the Vandalia Air Freight Line which prospered and grew to a fleet of eleven trucks.

After her husband's decease, Ellen Lucille Koch remained at Dayton, Ohio until about 1981 when she removed to Hicksville, Ohio where she now resides.

224. ETHELYN BAKER (Walter J. Baker, Anna, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 25 SEP 1917 d. 20 JUL 1982 (Ae 66) bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Walter J. Baker and Bernice M. Perry m. 10 JUL 1937 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to William Maurice Miller b. FEB 1915 d. JUN 1982 (Ae 67) bur. White City Cem., Spencerville, Ind. s. of Vinton Miller.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

- +461. Judith Ann (Judy) b. 10 AUG 1940.
- +462. James Leroy (Jim) b. 10 SEP 1947.
- +463. William Ted b. 22 OCT 1950.
- +464. Gwen b. c.1953.

William Miller was a farmer in occupation and resided nr. Spencerville, Indiana.

232. JAMES DOUGLAS KOCH (Joseph C., Charles, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 22 MAR 1933 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Joseph C. Koch and Grace I. Hamilton m. 27 MAY 1952 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. Richard P. Musser and divd. Irma Rose Diederich b. 1 APR 1934 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Carl H. Diederich and Rosa Boldt.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 465. Michael Douglas b. c.1958. Res. Virginia in 1965.
- 466. Sandra Lynn b. c.1959. Res. Virginia in 1965.

James D. Koch m/2 on 22 APR 1963 at Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Lee R. Brown, J. P. to Rosemary Becker b. 11 FEB 1916 Evansville, Vanderburgh Co., Ind. dau. of Herbert W. Becker and Johnnie Hampson. No issue. Rosemary had m/1 - - - Jacobs who deceased.

At the time of his first marriage, James Koch was a member of the U. S. Navy and at the second marriage his occupation was given as hair stylist.

236. JOHN OLIVER MORR (Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 25 JUN 1926 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. d. 14 AUG 1949 (auto accident) s. of Justin W. Morr Sr. and Evelyn R. Rice m. 11 SEP 1947 at Noble Co., Ind. by Rev. Alfred P. Beale to Delores I. McCoy b. 19 NOV 1927 Noble Co., Ind. deceased (cancer) dau. of Alva B. McCoy and Ethel M. Pippenger.

Children: (Surname MORR)

- 467. Marcia Ann, m. Francis Greg Coons; reportedly has 2 children but details missing. Resided at Tri-Lakes nr. Columbia City, Ind.

237. JERRY DEAN MORR (Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 1 DEC 1927 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. (attending physician was his grandfather, Dr. John W. Morr) s. of Justin W. Morr Sr. and Evelyn R. Rice m. 4 FEB 1950 at

Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Ind. to Marilyn Grace Aller b. 20 SEP 1930 dau. of Austin Carl Aller and Grace Esther White.

Children: (Surname MORR)

+468. Jerri Lynn b. 19 MAY 1951.

+469. John David. b. 1 JUL 1953.

470. Ronald Brent b. 9 OCT 1955 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Hosp.) m. 28 AUG 1983 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Jeanne Huber b. 9 SEP 1960 dau. of Orville R. Huber. Ronald is employed as sales manager by Allied Van Lines and Jeanne is an ultrasound technician at General Hospital, Marion, Ind.

471. Garry Edwin b. 28 FEB 1958 Portland, Jay Co., Ind. (hospital) m. 6 NOV 1983 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Linda Sue Meyer dau. of Willard Meyer and Wilma - - -. No issue. Garry is employed as an accountant by the State Board of Accounts and Linda works as an office clerk.

Jerry Dean Morr is an insurance agent at Albion, Ind. where the family resides.

238. JUSTIN WHEELER MORR JR. (Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 23 APR 1929 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. s. of Justin W. Morr Sr. and Evelyn R. Rice m/1 13 AUG 1949 and divd. Barbara Faith Klinger b. 10 AUG 1931 Noble Co., Ind. dau. of William Klinger and Blanche Marie Christlieb.

Children: (Surname MORR)

+472. Monty John b. 3 APR 1950.

+473. Valerie Lynn b. 6 OCT 1951.

+474. Kerry Lee b. 20 MAR 1953.

Justin Morr Jr. m/2 on 22 JUN 1969 at Brimfield, Noble Co., Ind. and divd. Norma Jean Ridenour b. 10 FEB 1933 Perry Co., Ohio dau. of John Rolland Ridenour and Mary Belle Maddux.

Children: (Surname MORR)

475. Mark.

Barbara (Klinger) Morr m/2 on 18 JUL 1969 to John W. Stoner (his 2nd) and they res. near Columbia City, Ind.

239. BARBARA JOAN MORR (Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 30 AUG 1930 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. dau. of Justin W. Morr Sr. and Evelyn R. Rice m. 11 SEP 1948 Noble Co., Ind; by Rev. Ervin E. Petynek and divd. Ralph Paul (Jack) Trowbridge b. 10 DEC 1926 Noble Co., Ind. s. of Cecil G. Trowbridge and June E. Becker.

Children: (Surname TROWBRIDGE)

476. Kirk, reportedly married and has 3 sons; details missing.

Barbara (Morr) Trowbridge resides at Syracuse, Indiana during Summers and is employed at the country club there. Her Winters are spent in Florida.

240. BETTY JEAN MORR (Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 14 MAY 1933 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. dau. of Justin W. Morr Sr. and Evelyn R. Rice m. Norman Eugene Lock, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname LOCK)

477. Tammy Renee b. 27 MAY 1958 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. m. 28 AUG 1976 Noble Co., Ind. (Merriam Christian Chapel) by Franklin Orr, pastor, to Richard Leon Anderson b. 22 JUN 1956 Wolf Lake, Noble Co., Ind. s. of Herbert Edward Anderson and Cholene Marcelle Schlotterback. Richard and Tammy are reported to have 3 daus. but details are missing.

+478. Timothy Blaine b. 27 MAR 1960.

479. Thomas.

This family resides at Albion, Indiana..

241. SHIRLEY ANN MORR (Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 21 AUG 1943 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. dau. of Justin W. Morr Sr. and Evelyn R. Rice m. 11 JAN 1964 at Albion, Ind. by Jual H. Evans, min. to Jerry Weimer b. 11 JAN 1944 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. s. of Norman Weimer and Eva Bragwell.

Children: (Surname WEIMER)

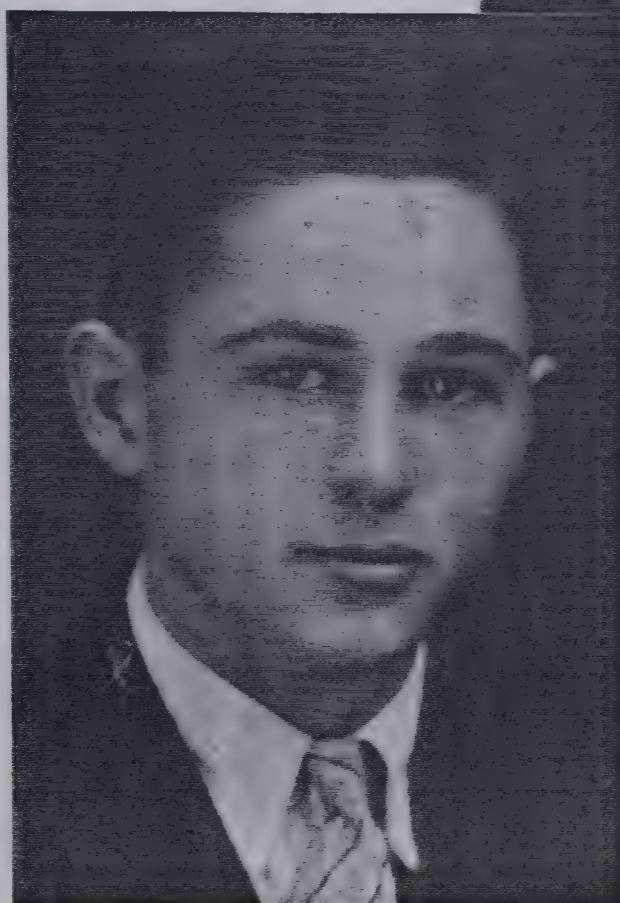
480. Troy b. prob. c.1965.

481. Tasha (f) b. c.1970.

Jerry Weimer was a factory worker at marriage while Shirley's occupation was given as beautician.

Residence at Albion, Ind. (Skinner Lake).

Sarah L. Koch (#27) w/ husb.
John Geisinger & sons (L-R
rear) Alfred, Lewis and
(front) dau. Inez



Bruce C. Koch (#221)

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242. CARROL ELAINE KOCH (Otis D., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 NOV 1925 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Otis D. Koch and Marjorie Cauffman m. 26 FEB 1947 Fort Wayne, Ind. to Roger B. Green b. 11 OCT 1924 nr. Bluffton, Wells Co., Ind. s. of - - - Green and Mary Ramsey.

Children: (Surname GREEN)

+482. Cynthia Sue b. 26 MAY 1955.

483. Gregory Scott b. 18 MAY 1958 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m. 11 AUG 1979 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Louis E. Haskell, pastor, to Laura Louise Linden b. 9 AUG 1957 Ohio dau. of Roger Lantz Linden and Barbara Bowles. No issue to OCT 1980. Res. Bainbridge, Ga.

At the time of marriage both Roger and Carrol Green were employed by the Lincoln National Life Insurance Co. Res. Fort Wayne, Ind.

243. DUANE E. KOCH (Otis D., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 27 JUL 1927 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Otis D. Koch and Marjorie Cauffman m. 27 MAR 1948 Fort Wayne, Ind. to Vera Jane Reynolds b. 21 AUG 1929 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of A. James Reynolds and Retha A. Brundiage.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

+484. Gary Alan b. 28 MAR 1952.

485. Rhonda Kay b. 17 JUN 1954 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m. 7 APR 1979 at Fort Wayne, Ind. by Hilbert J. Berger, pastor, to Daniel Albert Strong b. 27 NOV 1954 Ind. s. of William Strong and Joan Marilyn Schafer. No issue to MAY 1984. Res. Pleasant Hill, CA.

486. Randall Jay b. 2 JUL 1957 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m. 14 JUL 1979 at Fort Wayne, Ind. and divd. APR 1982 Gay Reider b. 12 APR 1958 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Don Reider and Vera Opliger. No issue.

Duane and Vera Jane Koch res. Fort Wayne, Indiana.

244. PEGGY JO KOCH (Virgil F., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 JUL 1937 Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Virgil F. Koch and Helen V. Hursh m. 14 JUL 1962 at Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Ivan O. Miller, min. (St. Peters Lutheran Church) to Donald Edward Hasse b. 2 FEB 1939 nr. Reedsburg, Manitowoc Co., Wisc. s. of Edward Hasse and Esther Elkins.

Children: (Surname HASSE)

487. Tamara Sue b. 15 SEP 1964 St. Louis, St. Louis Co., Mo.

488. Tanya Marie (twin) b. 25 OCT 1966 Rome, Floyd Co., Ga.

489. Terri Lynn (twin) b. 25 OCT 1966 Rome, Floyd Co., Ga.

Donald Hasse attended Concordia College at Fort Wayne, Ind. and the Lutheran Missouri Synod Seminary at St. Louis, Mo. He was ordained in 1965 and is pastor of the Missouri Synod Lutheran Church on East Seven Mile Road, Detroit, Michigan.

245. JACK WILLIS MANN (Marguerite M., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 SEP 1932 (twin) Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Leroy W. Mann and Marguerite M. Koch m. 1 JUN 1957 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (North Highlands Christian Church) to Doris Longardner b. 1 OCT 1932 Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Edgar Longardner and Harriet Brown.

Children: (Surname MANN)

490. Laurie b. 27 NOV 1959 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital). She attended DePauw University at Greencastle, Ind. grad. BS Degree in Psychology; Miami University, Oxford, Ohio grad. 1983 MS Degree in Child Psychology.

Doris Mann attended Manchester College, North Manchester, Ind. grad. 1954 with BA Degree in Spanish; also, St. Francis College, Fort Wayne, Ind. grad. with MS Degree in Language Education. She is employed as a teacher in the East Allen County High School, New Haven, Indiana.

Jack Mann is employed as a Wells Fargo security employee stationed at Auburn Gear Co., Auburn, Indiana.

The family residence is located near Spencerville, Indiana.

246. GENE MANN (Marguerite M., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 SEP 1932 (twin) Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Leroy W. Mann and Marguerite M. Koch m/1 1957 Bluffton, Wells Co., Ind. (parsonage) to Marilyn Smith dau. of Virgil Smith and Pauline Warstler.

Children: (Surname MANN)

491. David b. 27 APR 1959 DeKalb Co., Ind. Understood to be married and res. in California.

492. Doug b. 3 JUL 1960 DeKalb Co., Ind. Understood to be married and now serving in the U. S. Navy; undergoing schooling in California.

Gene Mann m/2 c.1969 by John Paul Hill, min., Church of Christ, to Patricia L. Young b. 29 AUG 1930 d. 18 SEP 1984 Auburn, Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital) (cancer), her parentage not determined.

Patricia Mann had m/1 James L. Depriest b. 10 JAN 1927 d. 15 NOV 1967 and they had the following children: (Surname DePRIEST)

(1) Barbara.

(2) Diana.

(3) Jay.

(4) Donna.

and two sons whose names were not given.

Gene Mann was employed 28 years with International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind. where he was a lieutenant in plant protection. The family residence is located east of Spencerville, Indiana.

247. DONALD PAUL MANN (Marguerite M., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 22 NOV 1935 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Leroy W. Mann and Marguerite M. Koch m/1 in Ohio and divd. Darlene - - -.

Children: (Surname MANN)

- 493. Son (poss. Brian) d. inf.
- 494. Eric.
- 495. Gordon.
- 496. Teeka.

Donald Mann m/2 Laveeta Elliott. No issue.

Residence at Bradford, Miami Co., Ohio. Additional information missing due to lack of replies to queries.

248. BETTY JOAN MANN (Marguerite M., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 4 JUL 1937 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Leroy W. Mann and Marguerite M. Koch m. 23 MAR 1957 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Coburn Corners Church of Christ) by J. W. Mellick, Min. to Alvin J. Jones b. 18 MAY 1936 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Alvin L. Jones and Berniece T. Pfund (Pound).

Children: (Surname JONES)

- +497. Patricia Joan b. 13 JUL 1962.
- +498. Connie Jean b. 18 SEP 1963.

Alvin Jones was serving in the U. S. Marine Corps at the time of marriage.

Residence near Auburn, Indiana.

249. WILLIAM ARTHUR KOCH (Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 JAN 1930 Shingleton, Alger Co., Mich. s. of Arthur Koch and Rachel Parr m/1 Marva Wilkenson, her dates and parentage not given. No issue.

William Koch m/2 14 FEB 1959 at Big Rapids, Osceola Co., Mich. and divd. Sharon Lorraine Webster b. 1941 dau. of Jack Webster and Donna Cole.

(Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 499. Jack Donald b. 30 JUL 1957 Baldwin, Lake Co., Mich. m. Denise Marie ByBee b. 1 MAY 1959 Mich. dau. of Paul L. ByBee and Joey Lamb.
- 500. William Arthur Jr. b. 23 APR 1961 Grant, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 501. Christine b. 11 DEC 1963 Reed City, Osceola Co., Mich.

In occupation, William Koch has been a woodsman employed in this trade in both the Lower and Upper Peninsulas of Michigan.

250. HANNAH MARTHA KOCH (Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John Ulrich Koch) b. 6 DEC 1930 Shingleton, Alger Co., Mich. dau. of Arthur Koch and Rachel Parr m. 12 APR 1958 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. to Robert Victor Oilila b. 6 AUG 1934 Munising, Alger Co., Mich. s. of - - - Oilila and Vera Kannisto.

Children: (Surname OILILA)

502. Robert Victor Jr. b. 11 SEP 1961 Waukegan, Lake Co., Ill.

503. Randy Charles b. 22 AUG 1963 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich.

Nothing further is known about this family.

252. MARY BELL KOCH (Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 29 NOV 1934 Alger Co., Mich. dau. of Arthur Koch and Rachel Parr m. Richard Kenneth Nelson b. 18 SEP 1929 Rumely, Alger Co., Mich. s. of Richard Nelson and Sylvia Aho.

Children: (Surname NELSON)

+504. Martha Esther b. 18 OCT 1950.

+505. Katherine Lynn (Kathy) b. 14 MAR 1952 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich.
m. 21 AUG 1971 Anthony Knaus b. 31 JAN 1950 s. of Anthony Knaus
and Marion Lakosky.

+506. Alice May (twin) b. 5 JUN 1953.

+507. Elaine Marie (twin) b. 5 JUN 1953.

This family resides at Eben Junction, Michigan.

255. PAUL KOCH (Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 27 AUG 1937 Munising, Alger Co., Mich. s. of Arthur Koch and Rachel Parr m. 25 FEB 1961 at Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. to Darlene June Pleau b. 20 JUN 1938 dau. of Teheshphore K. Pleau and Mabel Bigger.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

508. Paul Kenneth b. 30 SEP 1971 Gwinn, Marquette Co., Mich.

509. Tammi Lea b. 20 JUL 1977.

Paul Koch served 20 years in the U. S. Navy as an aircraft mechanic stationed at Norfolk, Va., Alameda, Calif., San Diego, Calif. and Oxnard, Calif.

Family church affiliation Catholic.

256. ORA DANIEL KOCH (Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 11 JUN 1939 Alger Co., Mich. s. of Arthur Koch and Rachel Parr m. 29 APR 1966 June Francis Doherty b. 18 JUN 1944 dau. of Michael Doherty and Hazel Parker.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

510. Angel Marie b. 4 SEP 1966 m. 24 SEP 1983 Wayne William Roberts s. of
William Roberts and Mary Brown.

511. April Joy b. 18 APR 1968.

June Koch m. previously - - - Doherty by whom there were the following children:
(Surname: DOHERTY)

- (1) David Eugene b. 15 APR 1961 m. Lauri Ann Johnson b. 14 OCT 1963 dau.
of Roland Johnson and Theresa Lakoskey.
- (2) Jeffery Allen b. 17 APR 1963. unm.

257. ALICE MAY KOCH (Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 17 JAN 1941 Munising, Alger Co., Mich. dau. of Arthur Koch and Rachel Parr m. 16 JAN 1960 Waukegan, Lake Co., Ill. Jerry Armstrong b. 5 MAY 1938 Mount Vernon, Jefferson Co., Ill. s. of Earl Armstrong and Martha Bradford.

Children: (Surname ARMSTRONG)

- 512. Pamela Jean b. 27 JUL 1960 Charlestown, Charlestown Co., S. C.
- 513. Jerry Jr. b. 10 MAR 1963 Charlestown, Charlestown Co., S. C.
- 514. William b. 10 SEP 1964 Charlestown, Charlestown Co., S. C.

Jerry Armstrong is a member of the U. S. Navy stationed aboard the USS Luce. The family residence is the Mayport Naval Station at Jacksonville, Florida.

259. FLORA MARIE KOCH (Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 21 DEC 1944 Munising, Alger Co., Mich. dau. of Arthur Koch and Rachel Parr m. 6 (or 14) OCT 1961 Trenary, Alger Co., Mich. to Michael Willard Leppanen b. 12 SEP 1943 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. s. of Willard Leppanen and Joan Shorkey.

Children: (Surname LEPPANEN)

- 515. Scott Michael b. 22 APR 1962 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich.
- 516. Gregory Allen b. 6 OCT 1970 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich.

Michael Leppanen is employed as a paper worker and Flora works as a clerk. The family church affiliation is Catholic.

Residence at Eben Junction, Michigan.

260. ROBERT VERNON ORSI (Luella Mae, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 2 JUN 1926 Chicago, Cook Co., Ill. s. of Albert Vernon Orsi and Luella Mae Koch m. 2 JUN 1949 Chicago, Ill. Betsy Ross b. Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. dau. of - - - Ross and Helen F. - - -.

Children: (Surname ORSI)

- +517. Albert Vernon b. 25 MAR 1950 Chicago, Cook Co., Ill.
- 518. Roberta Jean b. 4 FEB 1952 Chicago, Cook Co., Ill.

Robert Orsi served three years in the U. S. Navy. Since 1955, he has been employed as a policeman at Chicago, Illinois. Betsy is employed as a waitress.

261. DOUGLAS EUGENE KOCH (George P., Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 DEC 1938 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. s. of George P. Koch and Irma J. Sanders

m. 16 FEB 1957 White Cloud, Newaygo Co., Mich. to Joyce Ann Klingler b. 18 DEC 19-- Mich. dau. of Cecil Klingler and Blanche Baker.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 519. Douglas Eugene Jr. b. 27 JUL 1959 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 520. Julie Bernice b. 14 AUG 1961 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 521. Todd Allen b. 23 APR 1963 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 522. Bart Michael b. 3 AUG 1964 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

At the time of marriage, Douglas Koch worked as a bolt cutter and Joyce was employed in office work.

262. LUELLA JOYCE KOCH (George P., Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 9 AUG 1940 dau. of George P. Koch and Irma J. Sanders m. 23 FEB 1957 Walker-ville, Oceana Co., Mich. to Fredrick Lee Gottschalk b. 1934 Hesperia, Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Herbert Wm. Gottschalk and Haddie Marion.

Children: (Surname GOTTSCHALK)

- 523. Linda Lou b. 28 FEB 1958 Cass City, Tuscola Co., Mich. m. 7 AUG 1976 Dennis Easton. Res. Rothbury, Mich.
- 524. Fred b. 1 APR 1959 Sandusky, Sanilac Co., Mich. m. and divd. Res. Shelby, Mich.
- 525. Melody Ann b. 13 OCT 1960 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. unkm.
- 526. JoEllen b. 3 NOV 1961. unkm.

Luella (Koch) Gottschalk m/2 on 20 MAY 1, 1963 at Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. to John Morse b. 19 APR 1929 Muskegon, Mich. s. of John Raymond Morse and Mabel O. Ross.

Children: (Surname MORSE)

- 527. Michael b. 19 JAN 1965 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich.
- 528. Kevin Thayer b. 28 MAR 1971 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

Residence is located at New Era, Michigan.

263. NINA BELLE KOCH (George P., Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 16 AUG 1942 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of George P. Koch and Irma J. Sanders m. 25 APR 1959 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich. and divd. David Klingler b. 23 JAN 1939 Lincoln Twp., Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Cecil Klingler and Bernice Baker.

Children: (Surname KLINGLER)

- 529. Thomas Hal b. 16 MAY 1960 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 530. Gena Marie b. 19 OCT 1961 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 531. James Allen b. 16 SEP 1962 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 532. George Calvin b. 11 FEB 1963 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 533. David Cecil b. 27 JUL 1964 Orofino, Clearwater Co., Idaho.

David Klingler apparently is a brother of Joyce Ann Klingler who married Nina Belle Koch's brother Douglas Eugene Koch. However, it is noted that while Cecil Klingler is given as the father of both David and Joyce Ann, there is a difference in the name of his wife, given in one instance as Blanche Baker and in the other as Bernice Baker; it is assumed that one of the Baker given names is in error.

264. JAKE ARTHUR KOCH (George P., Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 30 MAR 1945 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. s. of George P. Koch and Irma J. Sanders m/1 7 JUN 1965 White Cloud, Newaygo Co., Mich. and divd. Linda Lou Cyphers b. 10 AUG 1946 Blue Island, Cook Co., Ill. dau. of Thomas Cyphers and Virginia Seeman.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 534. Tina Marie b. 13 MAY 1966 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.; has son
Jeremy William Koch b. 26 JUN 1983.
- 535. Tammy Sue b. 24 MAY 1967 Shelby, Oceana Co., Mich.
- 536. Jake Arthur Jr., b. 1 JUN 1968 Grant, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 537. Robert Arthur b. 2 OCT 1970 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

Jake Koch m/2 Constance Joy (Connie) Shineldecker b. 5 NOV 1950 Bitely, Newaygo Co., Mich. dau. of Ethro Sidney Shineldecker and Goldie Hazel McGhan.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 538. Jerrad Wayne b. 21 JUL 1981 Munising, Alger Co., Mich. (Munising
Memorial Hospital).

Connie Koch had m/1 William Arthur Flora by whom there were the following children:
(Surname FLORA)

- (1) Michelle Louise b. 24 AUG 1968 Hastings, Barry Co., Mich.
- (2) Amy Sue b. 22 JUL 1970 Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich. (Blodgett Hosp.)
- (3) Billijo b. 23 JUL 1973 Hastings, Barry Co., Mich.

Residence at Eben Junction, Michigan.

265. ANN JANET KOCH (George P., Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 13 NOV 1947 Colfax Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of George P. Koch and Irma J. Sanders m/1 25 DEC 1963 Bitely, Newaygo Co., Mich. and divd. Darrel DeWayne Aiken b. 7 SEP 1934 s. of Stillman Aiken and Lydia McGhan.

Children: (Surname AIKEN)

- 539. Shawn Diane b. 7 MAY 1964 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 540. Darrel DeWayne Jr. b. 26 JUN 1965 Shelby, Oceana Co., Mich.
- 541. Kelly Ann b. 18 JUL 1966 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.
- 542. Lurena Marie b. 12 JAN 1968 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

Ann (Koch) Aiken m/2 on 6 APR 1971 at White Cloud, Newaygo Co., Mich. to Dale Paulsen, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname PAULSEN)

543. Shannon Dee b. 21 SEP 1970 Fremont, Newaygo Co., Mich.

544. Ty William b. 4 MAR 1972 Fort Worth, Tarrant Co., Texas.

Family residence is located at Hesperia, Michigan.

267. BERNARD CARL AIKINS (Ruth G., Frank B., George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 7 APR 1947 Newaygo Co., Mich. s. of Carl Aikins and Ruth G. Koch m. 28 DEC 1968 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. to Rosemary Joyce Kirwin b. 4 FEB 1950 Hart, Mich. dau. of Bryce Vernon Kirwin and Joyce Louise Deering.

Children: (Surname AIKINS)

545. Stacey Lee b. 18 JUL 1971, Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

546. Bridget Lynn b. 23 JUL 1973 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

547. Calvin Carl b. 8 OCT 1974 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

268. DONALD CARL KOCH (Carl, Frank B., George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 31 AUG 1950 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. s. of Carl Koch and Marie Baron m. 6 DEC 1969 Eldridge Twp., Oceana Co., Mich. to Kathy Anthonissen b. 2 OCT 1951 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. dau. of Richard Anthonissen and Wilma Clark.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

548. Jennifer Sue b. 1 JAN 1972 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

549. Donald Carl Jr. b. 6 AUG 1973 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich.

269. DONNA JEAN KOCH (Carl, Frank B., George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 2 DEC 1952 Hart, Oceana Co., Mich. m. 23 APR 1971 New Era, Oceana Co., Mich. to Alan Lynn Fekken b. 23 MAR 1951 Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Mich. s. of Benjamin Fekken and Eunice Lohman.

Children: (Surname FEKKEN)

550. Michael Alan b. 19 NOV 1974 Shelby, Oceana Co., Mich.

272. JACQUILINE JUNE (JACKIE) HYMAN (Mable B. Byroade, George C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 JUL 1928 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio dau. of Luther D. Hyman and Mable B. Byroade m. 24 AUG 1946 Allen Co., Ind. by Herman F. Zelander and divd. Ronald Arthur Koenig b. 7 AUG 1925 Allen Co., Ind. s. of Edward W. Koenig and Agnes E. Foelker.

Children: (Surname KOENIG)

+551. Carolyn Jean b. 30 OCT 1947.

+552. Dianna Lee b. 24 MAY 1949.

+553. Ronald Arthur b. 5 DEC 1951.

+554. Georgianna Charleen b. 24 MAR 1953.

+555. Robert Allen b. 27 OCT 1955.

Ronald Koenig's middle name has been given variously as Herbert, Allen, and Arthur. It is believed, however, that Arthur is correct. At the time of his marriage, his occupation was given as service manager.

Jackie Koenig's occupation at marriage was given as telephone operator. She presently is employed as a nursing aide in surgery at St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Wayne, Indiana and is pursuing a graduate degree in Nursing. She also is studying at the Indiana University regional campus at Fort Wayne, Ind. toward her BA Degree in English.

She previously spent some time in France to perfect her command of the French language. Her residence there was in a student facility providing a home life and a means of minimum expense which she has since attempted to duplicate in her own home for deserving students needing some form of financial support, many of whom are from out of State and establishing their Indiana residency to qualify for resident student rates.

273. CATHARINE DAWN HYMAN (Mable B. Byroade, George C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 APR 1930 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio dau. of Luther D. Hyman and Mable B. Byroade m/1 26 JUN 1948 Allen Co., Ind. by Carl G. Adam, pastor, and divd. Wendell Phillips Adams b. 12 JUN 1926 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. so of Burton Quincy Adams and Garnette Marie Lenhardt.

Children: (Surname ADAMS)

556. Linda.

557. Sharon.

At the time of marriage, Wendell Adams was an employe of General Electric Co. in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Catharine (Hyman) Adams m/2 on 11 APR 1959 at New Haven, Ind. by John M. Sayre, clergyman, to Fredric Allen Coburn b. 8 OCT 1932 Ohio s. of Nicholas W. Coburn and Emma Lantz.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

558. Lisa.

559. Elizabeth..

Fredric Coburn previously m. and divd. Helen Joan Hawk and they had the following children: (Surname COBURN)

(1) Deborah J. b. c.1951.

(2) Fredric A. b. c.1953.

(3) Rebecca b. c.1954.

(4) Cheryl Dawn b. 2 NOV 1954 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m. 17 AUG 1973 Fort Wayne, Ind. by A. Swihart, J.P. to Malcolm Charles Sidle b. 7 FEB 1949 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Charles Lloyd Sidle and Anne Westa Berson. Malcolm was then owner of the Fort Wayne Poster Corp. He had m/1 and annulled JUL 1971 with a son Seth R. Sidle b. c.1968.

Fredric and Catharine Coburn presently reside in Canton, Ohio.

275. WAYNE EDWARD LONG (Alta Marie Byroade, Ernest C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 14 AUG 1931 s. of Robert Wayne Long and Alta Marie Byroade m. 2 JUN 1951 Donna Jean Hamm b. 30 AUG 1933, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname LONG)

560. Linda Jean b. 15 OCT 1958.

561. Lori Marie b. 1 DEC 1961.

562. David Wayne b. 3 NOV 1966.

276. GERALD EUGENE LONG (Alta Marie Byroade, Ernest C. Byroade, Mary J. Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 14 FEB 1936 s. of Robert Wayne Long and Alta Marie Byroade m. 15 SEP 1957 Dorothy Lou Lippott b. 2 FEB 1936, her birthplace and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname LONG)

563. Ronald Alan b. 7 APR 1961.

574. Judy Renee b. 24 FEB 1964.

279. JON DOUGLAS BYROADE (Henry A. Byroade, Ernest C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 27 FEB 1950 s. of Henry Alfred Byroade and Mary Kathren Richard m. 25 MAY 1974 Deborah Ann Price b. 4 SEP 1952, her birthplace and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

575. Melissa Errine b. 21 NOV 1977.

576. John Lindsey b. 25 AUG 1980.

283. LINDA JOY BYROADE (Walter Wm. Byroade, Raymon C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 12 OCT 1944 dau. of Walter Wm. Byroade and Mildred Woody m. 21 AUG 1964 Gerald Warren Jensen b. 19 APR 1944, his birthplace and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname JENSEN)

577. Tina Marie b. 21 NOV 1967.

578. Lisa Ann b. 3 JAN 1969.

284. MARY JANE BYROADE (Walter Wm. Byroade, Raymon C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 8 NOV 1949 m. 21 MAR 1975 Jeffrey Eric Essak b. 22 AUG 1949, his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname ESSAK)

579. (AD) Erin Rachel b. 12 MAR 1980.

580. Jacob Woody b. 5 APR 1981.

285. DEBERAH LOU BYROADE (Walter Wm. Byroade, Raymon C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 MAR 1952 (twin) m. 23 MAR 1973 Gary Francis Schaaf, his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname SCHAAF)

581. Kimberly Michelle b. 10 AUG 1978.

286. PAMELA SUE BYROADE (Walter Wm. Byroade, Raymon C. Byroade, Mary J, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 OCT 1952 (twin) dau. of Walter Wm. Byroade and Mildred Woody m. 12 JUN 1976 Steven Charles Kinser b. a JUL 1951, his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname KINSER)

582. Ashley Elizabeth b. 5 MAR 1978.

583. Steven Tyler b. 28 MAR 1981.

288. CHARLES LEE BYROADE (Alvin L. Byroade, Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 30 NOV 1947 Ind. s. of Alvin L. Byroade and Virginia M. Spillers m/1 28 JUL 1972 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Arthur H. Zshiegner, Lutheran pastor, to Dorothy Ann Lohr b. 7 NOV 1949 Maryland; she was the dau. of Keith D. Lohr and Caroline Helene Miller. No issue of this marriage. Divd. 18 APR 1977.

Following his divorce from his first wife. Charles m/2 on 22 DEC 1978 Fort Wayne, Ind. by George Ross Mather, pastor, to Beth Ellen Chapman b. 9 AUG 1948 dau. of Gale Chester Chapman and Evelyn Ruth Sheets.

Children: (Surname BYROADE)

584. Bram Anthony b. 24 JUN 1979.

585. Wyatt Adam b. 10 JUN 1981.

Beth Byroade had m. previously and divd. NOV 1978.

Obituary: Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette; Saturday, October 22, 1983.

Charles L. Byroade, 35, of Fort Wayne, a former Fort Wayne police officer, died at 4 a.m. Friday in Smyrna Hospital, Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Byroade left the Fort Wayne police force in 1982 after six years. He then worked as a pharmacist for Chronister's Pharmacies.

Surviving are his wife, Beth E.; two sons, Bram A. and Wyatt A., both at home; two sisters, Donna Rybolt, of Fort Myers, Fla., and Barb Doherty, of Fort Wayne; and his parents, Alvin and Virginia, of Fort Wayne.

Services are at 1 p.m. Tuesday at South Side Church of the Nazarene, 5100 Gaywood Drive, with calling from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at D. O. McComb & Sons Foster Park Funeral Home, 6301 Fairfield Ave., and after noon at the church Tuesday. Burial will be in IOOF Cemetery.

Preferred memorials are gifts to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

289. BARBARA ANN BYROADE (Alvin L. Byroade, Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 3 MAY 1954 Ind. m. 10 MAR 1972 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by

Wilmer R. Watson, Min., to Douglas Alan Doherty b. 2 MAY 1950 Ind. s. of Lowell Wallace Doherty and Violet Irene Nidlinger. Barbara and Douglas divd. 22 FEB 1977.

Children: (Surname DOHERTY)

586. Dawn Eliza b. 18 OCT 1972.

Barbara (Byroade) Doherty m/2 on 12 JUL 1978 at Fort Wayne, Ind. by Bruce L. Griffin, min. and divd. 1980 Jonathan Lee (Jon) Binney b. 27 AUG 1946 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Walter Parker Binney and Lillian Dow. No issue. He had m. previously and divd. APR 1976 with dept. child Thomas Howard Binney.

290. DIANA JEAN BYROADE (Delmar M. Byroade, Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 2 JUN 1943 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Delmar M. Byroade and G. Rose Clem m. 25 JUL 1965 New Haven, Ind. (M.E. church) to F. Morley Krieger b. 13 JAN 1943 Fort Erie, Ontario Prov., Canada s. of Carl Gordon Krieger and Mary Yvonne Henderson.

Children: (Surname KRIEGER)

587. Kelly Ann b. 27 NOV 1967 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

588. Kimberly Ann b. 20 SEP 1971 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

Morley Krieger is employed as operations director of Southtown Mall in Fort Wayne, Indiana. He also serves of chief of the volunteer fire department at New Haven, Ind. where the family resides.

292. SHARON KAY McCOY (Deloris M. Byroade, Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 9 NOV 1942 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Roy G. McCoy and Deloris M. Byroade m. 28 DEC 1963 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Gerald J. Mikosz, Catholic priest, to Daniel Edward Kraft b. 19 SEP 1942 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of William Jacob Kraft and Mary Agnes McKenzie.

Children: (Surname KRAFT)

589. Angela Marie b. 11 NOV 1964.

590. Michael Edward b. 18 OCT 1965.

591. Diana Lynn b. and d. 4 JUN 1970.

592. Brian Lynn b. and d. 4 MAR 1972.

593. Douglas Roy b. 3 JAN 1978.

594. Darren William b. 12 FEB 1979.

595. Danielle Lynn b. 4 FEB 1982.

Both Sharon and Daniel were employed at marriage by International Harvester Co. of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

293. EDWARD LeROY McCOY (Deloris M. Byroade, Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 1 SEP 1944 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Roy G. McCoy and Deloris M. Byroade m. 29 AUG 1964 Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind. by Rev. R. L. Kleespie, Lutheran pastor, to Marcie Lee Lewis b. 4 JUN 1946 Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. dau. of George Earl Lewis and Betty Louise McCabe.

Children: (Surname McCOY)

596. Ronald Edward b. 30 MAY 1968.

597. Rachel Linn b. 7 OCT 1969.

Edward McCoy's occupation at marriage was given as aluminum products installer and Marcia was employed as a secretary at that time.

294. PATRICIA ANN McCOY (Deloris M. Byroade, Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 27 SEP 1952 Ind. dau. of Roy G. McCoy and Deloris M. Byroade m. 29 JUN 1974 Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind. by G. L. Kleespie, pastor, to Richard Allen Minnick b. 11 DEC 1949 Ind. s. of Theodore Minnick Jr. and Magdalena Alice Vorich.

Children: (Surname MINNICK)

598. Sarah Lyn b. 26 JUL 1978.

599. Geoffrey Allen b. 13 AUG 1980.

At marriage, Richard Minnick was employed as a siding installer.

297. LARRY DALE MILLER (Doris I. Byroade, Harley A. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 19 OCT 1947 s. of Dale Miller and Doris I. Byroade m/1 15 JUL 1967 and divd. 25 JAN 1973 Cindy Camp b. 19 FEB 1947, her parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

600. Kimberly Elaine b. 11 SEP 1968.

601. Lisa Renee b. 8 NOV 1971.

Larry Miller m/2 on 22 SEP 1973 Judy Coons b. 21 DEC 1948, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

602. Adam David b. 11 JAN 1976.

603. Laura Ann b. 10 AUG 1980.

299. SHARON ROSE VESPER (Herman Junior Vesper, Herman Vesper, Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 26 FEB 1945 Boston, Mass. dau. of Herman Junior Vesper and Margaret Rose Lehane m. Frank Leo Elwell, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname ELWELL)

604. Michael J. b. 5 JAN 1968.

605. Mark b. 3 SEP 1970.

This family resides at Vernon, Vermont.

300. GERALD PATRICK VESPER (Herman J. Vesper, Herman Vesper, Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 16 JUN 1946 Boston, Mass. s. of Herman Junior Vesper and Margaret

Rose Lehane m/1 29 AUG 1969 at Brattleboro, Vt. and divd. 8 JUL 1980 Jane Claire Willard, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

606. Cathy Kyle b. 12 MAR 1971 Burlington, Chittenden Co., Vt.

607. Jeanette Anne b. 11 MAR 1973 Keene, Chesire Co., N. H.

Jane Vesper m/2 - - - West and is an antique dealer.

Gerald Vesper m/2 on 22 OCT 1982 at Wallingford, New Haven Co., Conn. to Peggy O'Neil b. 31 DEC 1956 Bennington, Bennington Co., Vt. dau. of James Joseph O'Neil and Kathleen Mae Conway.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

608. Patrick O'Neil b. 13 SEP 1983.

Peggy is schooled in hairdressing and is registered in New York in this profession.

Gerald Vesper is employed by the Federal Govt. Defense Logistics Agency as a quality assurance representative.

Residence at Vergennes, Vermont.

301. BARBARA MAURER VESPER (Herman J. Vesper, Herman Vesper, Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 11 FEB 1948 Seattle, King Co., Wash. dau. of Herman Junior Vesper and Margaret R. Lehane m. Kenneth Moyer.

Children: (Surname MOYER)

609. Margaret Lynn b. 11 AUG 1982.

610. Heather Jean b. 5 DEC 1983.

Residence at Poultney, Vt. No further information given.

306. VALINDA VEE VanderWAL (Vesta Vesper, Clarence Vesper, Louisa, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 31 MAY 1947 AD dau. of Jacob VanderWal and Vesta Vesper m. 22 AUG 1970 at Spokane, Spokane Co., Wash. to Jack Wayne Karjala b. 2 JAN 1944 Aberdeen, Grays Harbor Co., Wash. s. of Jack Karjala and Amelia Toini Waolsila.

Children: (Surname KARJALA)

611. (AD) William Wayne b. 25 OCT 1980 Colombia, South America.

612. Dubiana Andrea b. 31 DEC 1979 Cali, Colombia, South America.

Jack Karjala's occupation is fisherman and cranberry grower. Residence at Grayland, Washington.

307. CAROL WALTER (Robert H. Walter, Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 AUG 1946 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) dau. of Robert H.

Walter and Mildred L. Marlow m. 24 AUG 1968 St. Petersburg, Pinellas Co., Fla.
to Richard Pearsall b. 25 AUG 1942 s. of Richard Pearsall and Ruth - - -.

Children: (Surname PEARSALL)

613. Annette Michelle b. 30 MAY 1969.

614. Nicole Lee b. 12 SEP 1970.

Residence in State of Louisiana.

308. KAREN (KAY) WALTER (Robert H. Walter, Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 OCT 1948 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sander's Hospital) dau. of Robert H. Walter and Mildred L. Marlow m. 10 JUN 1972 Richard Bitner b. 4 APR 1945 Connellsville, Fayette Co., Pa. s. of Ray Bitner and Elizabeth Dillinger.

Children: (Surname BITNER)

615. Seth b. 10 AUG 1977.

616. Sarah Ruth b. 21 JUN 1982.

309. STEVEN DUANE WALTER (Max E. Walter, Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 5 OCT 1956 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) s. of Max Eugene Walter and Donna J. Diedrick m. 17 MAY 1975 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Maple Grove Un. Meth. church by Rev. Joseph Hanawalt) to Roxanne Marie Treesh b. 14 AUG 1956 Garrett, Ind. dau. of Don Eugene Treesh and Joan Virginia Fechner.

Children: (Surname WALTER)

617. Matt (twin) b. 10 OCT 1977.

618. Michael (twin) b. 10 OCT 1977.

619. Toby b. 4 DEC 1978.

Steven was employed as a factory worker at marriage and Roxanne was a clerk.

This family resides at Garrett, Indiana.

310. DENISE LOUISE WALTER (Max E. Walter, Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 17 NOV 1957 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) dau. of Max Eugene Walter and Donna J. Diedrick m. 15 MAR 1978 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Ben F. Vick Jr., min., to Robert Leslie Womack Jr. b. 3 MAY 1957 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. s. of Robert Leslie Womack and Norma Jean Evers.

Children: (Surname WOMACK)

620. Amanda Lee b. 1 OCT 1980.

Residence at Auburn, Indiana.

311. LINDA ELAINE WALTER (Max E. Walter, Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 10 APR 1959 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital) dau. of

Max Eugene Walter and Donna J. Diedrick m. 16 JUN 1977 Auburn, Ind. by Rev. A. L. Smith, Lutheran pastor, to Ronald Keith Shroads b. 9 MAR 1957 Kentucky s. of James Shroads and Eyvond Whobrey.

Children: (Surname SHROADS)

621. Justin R. b. 5 MAY 1979.

622. Carl b. 3 OCT 1981.

Ronald Shroads was a factory employe at marriage.

This family resides at Waterloo, Indiana.

315. CAROLINE LOUISE APPLGATE (Sharon L. Walter, Mary J., Martin L., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 18 JUN 1963 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Lowell E. Applegate and Sharon L. Walter m. 22 AUG 1981 Hicksville, Ohio by Chas. Williams, pastor, to James Lee Whitaker b. 8 NOV 1963 Winston Salem, Forsyth Co., North Carolina s. of Luther Whitaker and Christine Heath.

Children: (Surname WHITAKER)

623. Ryan James b. NOV 1982.

James Whitaker was employed as a service technician at the time of marriage.

317. JAMES LEON FISH (Mildred V. Heifner, Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 29 DEC 1937 s. of Kenneth G. Fish and Mildred V. Heifner m. 17 SEP 1960 Judy McFarland b. 15 MAR 1937, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FISH)

624. Grant b. 8 APR 1962.

625. Jennifer b. 27 MAR 1969.

Residence at Ashland, Ohio.

319. ERVA JEAN FEAZEL (Cleo M. Heifner, Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 6 FEB 1949 dau. of Erva A. Feazel and Cleo M. Heifner m. 20 DEC 1969 Gary Henry b. 13 OCT 1950 s. of Merle Henry and Ruth Watson.

Children: (Surname HENRY)

626. Mark Russell b. 30 DEC 1975.

320. REBECCA LYNNE FEAZEL (Cleo M. Heifner, Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 JUL 1953 dau. of Erva A. Feazel and Cleo M. Heifner m. 30 AUG 1975 Ronald Lust b. 8 SEP 1949 s. of Calvin Lust and Mary Walters.

Children: (Surname LUST)

627. Amanda Linsey b. 5 OCT 1981.

628. Kathleen Renee b. 11 FEB 1983.

628½. Leslie. (added after manuscript typed)

321. TOM McNAUL (Bonita G. Heifner, Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 1 MAR 1948 s. of John M. McNaul and Bonita G. Heifner m. 31 JUL 1976 Mary Nash b. 26 JAN 1948 dau. of O. Guy Nash and Marjorie Eaman.

Children: (Surname McNAUL)

629. Philip John b. 20 MAR 1981.

322. MELANIE McNAUL (Bonita G. Heifner, Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 16 JAN 1951 dau. of John M. McNaul and Bonita G. Heifner m. 28 APR 1979 Steven Huber b. 2 FEB 1951 s. of Carl Huber and Margaret Benepe.

Children: (Surname HUBER)

630. Margie Anita b. 19 JUL 1981.

623. MICHAEL H. McNAUL (Bonita G. Heifner, Mabel V. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 23 MAR 1955 s. of John M. McNaul and Bonita G. Heifner m. 11 OCT 1980 Cynthia Chupp b. 3 JAN 1958 dau. of John Chupp and Ferne Good.

Children: (Surname McNAUL)

631. Michele Lynn b. 31 MAR 1984.

334. DANNY EUGENE VESPER (Harold Vesper, Glenn G. K. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 4 SEP 1948 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio s. of Harold Vesper and Betty E. Harden m. 11 DEC 1970 and divd. SEP 1982 Karen Elaine Burton AD dau. of - - - Burton.

Children: (Surname VESPER)

632. Dawn Eugenia b. 9 OCT 1971 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio.

633. David Glen b. 1 DEC 1975 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio.

335. LINDA ELLEN VESPER (Harold Vesper, Glenn G. K. Vesper, Amanda, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 11 APR 1951 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio dau. of Harold Vesper and Betty E. Harden m. 29 AUG 1970 and divd. JAN 1976 Bruce Mario Riddle b. 30 JAN 1951 Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname RIDDLE)

634. Shannon Mario b. 1 JUN 1971 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio.

635. Jason Michael b. 23 MAR 1975 Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio.

340. STEPHEN LANE SPENCER (John M. Spencer, Anna G., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 OCT 1951 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio s. of John Milton Spencer and Norma J. Witmer m. 17 FEB 1979 Theresa Kay Dickerson, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname SPENCER)

636. Kristin Kay b. 7 SEP 1980.

341. SHARON LYNN SPENCER (John M. Spencer, Anna G., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 1 APR 1954 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio dau. of John M. Spencer and Norma J. Witmer m. 1 SEP 1979 Donald Glenn Phelps, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname PHELPS)

637. Spencer Franklin b. 4 NOV 1979.

638. Kimberly Dawn b. 15 OCT 1982.

343. SHARON SUE LEITER (Lila M., George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 2 MAY 1952 dau. of William Leiter and Lila May Koch m. 12 MAR 1971 Steven Kolp b. 19 JUN 1951 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio s. of Kenneth Kolp and Mildred Snyder.

Children: (Surname KOLP)

639. Joshua Steven b. 12 MAR 1974 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.

640. Amanda Renee b. 14 JUN 1979 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.

344. ANTHONY MARK LEITER (Lila M., George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 30 APR 1955 s. of William Leiter and Lila M. Koch m. 31 MAY 1975 Mary Price b. 17 MAY 1951 dau. of Forest Price and Thelma Hardgrove.

Children: (Surname LEITER)

641. Anthony Mark b. 3 NOV 1976.

642. Jarrod Clark b. 1 SEP 1979.

Mary (Price) Leiter m. previously - - - Gerwig by whom she had the following children: (Surname GERWIG)

(1) Lisa b. 6 DEC 1972.

(2) Matthew b. 6 FEB 1974.

346. JOHN WALTON LEITER (Lila M., George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 JAN 1961 s. of William Leiter and Lila M. Koch m. 3 NOV 1979 Kim Filibeck b. 8 SEP 1962, her parentage not given.

(Children: (Surname LEITER)

643. Jeremy John b. 9 SEP 1979.

644. Tiffany Lynn b. 14 SEP 1981.

351. KAREN KAY KOCH (Ora I., George W., Isaiah, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 30 JUN 1959 dau. of Ora I. Koch and Lila J. Null m. 21 NOV 1978 Doug Renner, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname RENNER)

645. Angela Marie b. 9 MAY 1979 North Carolina.

646. Bradley Allen b. 2 OCT 1981 Japan

352. DONNA SUE KOCH (Ora I., George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 17 FEB 1961 dau. of Ora I. Koch and Lila J. Null m. 12 JUN 1979 Denny Painter b. 22 JAN 1954, his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname PAINTER)

647. Caleb Christian b. 26 DEC 1979.

370. PATRICIA OBRECHT KOCH (Douglas D., George W., Isaiah C., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) dau. of Douglas D. Koch and Pat Obrecht m. Samuel Bebout, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname BEBOUT)

648. Rochelle Renee b. 19 NOV 1980.

383. THOMAS WILBUR KOCH (Wilbur F., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 4 DEC 1933 Fort Wayne, Allen Co, Ind. s. of Wilbur F. Koch and Janet M. Gorrell m. 17 AUG 1956 Grabill, Allen Co., Ind. to Marjorie Ann Sauder b. 18 AUG 1936 Grabill, Ind. dau. of Henry H. Sauder and Ethel M. McNabb.

Children; (Surname KOCH)

+649. Steven Bruce b. 11 APR 1958.

650. Scott Thomas b. 18 OCT 1961 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital). unm.

651. Marlene Kay b. 2 DEC 1962 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital) m. 25 JUN 1983 rural Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Steven Lynn Smith b. 29 SEP 1961 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. s. of Larry Lynn Smith and Rosann Croy.

Thomas Koch served in the U. S. Army 1956-1958. In occupation, he is a journeyman electrician.

Family residence is located on the outskirts of Harlan, Indiana.

384. EDWARD WILBUR KOCH (Wilbur F., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 JUL 1937 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Wilbur F. Koch and Janet M. Gorrell m. 23 OCT 1959 Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. to Elaine June Amstutz b. 27 JUN 1937 nr. Grabill, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Howard Amstutz and Dorothy Gerig.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

652. Sheryl Elaine b. 4 JUL 1961 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital) m. 15 SEP 1984 Harlan, Ind. (Holy Trinity Lutheran Church) Kevin Joseph Herber s. of Robert Herber and June - - -. Kevin attended Purdue Univ.grad. but Degree not given; he is employed employed by Lakewood Mobile Home Park nr. Fremont, Ind. Sheryl attended Southeastern Academy, Kissimmee, Fla. and is employed by a travel agency at Fort Wayne, Ind.

653. Sandra Sue b. 5 FEB 1963 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital). Unm. JUL 1983.
654. Mary Jane b. 22 JAN 1967 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).
655. Penny Jo b. 5 FEB 1969 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).

Edward Koch is self-employed in the sale and installation of floor covering materials. The family residence is located nr. Harlan, Indiana.

385. RUDY WILBUR KOCH (Wilbur F., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 MAY 1943 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital) s. of Wilbur F. Koch and Janet M. Gorrell m/1 10 JUL 1964 Woodbur, Allen Co., Ind. (Christ Lutheran Church) by Rev. Howard Georg, min., and divd. Carilyn (Carol) Mae Rathge b. 28 APR 1945 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Harold Herman William Rathge and Maude Rosella Saurer.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

656. Gregg b. NOV c.1965.

Rudy Koch m/2 on 23 NOV 1977 at Payne, Paulding Co., Ohio to Kathy Meyers b. 13 JUL 1955 dau. of Jack Meyers and Joyce Horstmeyer.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

657. Jennifer Joyce b. 13 DEC 1979.

Kathy (Meyers) Koch m/1 - - - Van Horn by whom she had the following children: (Surname Van HORN) (1) Amy b. AUG 1976.

Kathy Koch is attending Indiana University at the local campus in Fort Wayne, Ind. and is studying Business.

Rudy Koch attended International Business College in Fort Wayne, Ind. grad. with Assoc. Degree in Accounting and was employed for some time in this field. He is now owner and manager of The Old Oaken Bucket restaurant and lounge in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Residence at New Haven, Ind.

387. RICHARD PAUL GORRELL (Marcelene, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 22 JUL 1935 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of P. Clifford Gorrell and Marcelene T. Koch m/1 30 MAY 1954 Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. (Un. Meth. Church) and divd. c.1972 Sharon Osmun b. 30 NOV 1935 dau. of Harold Osmun and Lydia Myers.

Children: (Surname GORRELL)

658. Kimberley b. 10 SEP 1957 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 12 DEC 1977 at Colorado Springs, El Paso Co., Colo. to Mark Osborn. No issue to OCT 1980.

659. Kerrie b. 9 NOV 1960 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind.
660. Kelly b. 24 MAR 1962 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind.

In October, 1980, Kerrie and Kelly were students enrolled at the University of Southern Colorado.

Sharon Gorrell attended Indiana University at Bloomington, Ind. grad. with BA Degree in Education and is a teacher at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Richard Gorrell attended Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind., grad. 1957 with BS Degree in Physical Education and Mathematics; he later attended Ball State University at Muncie, Indiana and grad. with MS Degree. He has taught school at Butler, Ind., Greenfield, Ind. and Colorado Springs, Colo. He is now Dean of Students in the school system at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Richard Gorrell m/2 on 7 JUN 1975 at Colorado Springs, Colo. Karen Ward b. 21 MAY 1945 dau. of - - - Ward and Lena May - - -. Karen attended the University of Southern Colorado and grad. with BA Degree and later obtained her MA Degree from this same school. She is a teacher of Junior High School level at Colorado Springs, Colo.

388. SUSAN THERESA GORRELL (Marcelene T., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 9 NOV 1936 dau. of P. Clifford Gorrell and Marcelene T. Koch m. 24 DEC 1960 at Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. (Un. Meth. church) to Larry E. Smith b. 13 SEP 1937 s. of William Smith and Madelyn - - -.

Children: (Surname SMITH)

661. Daniel Paul b. 10 JAN 1963 Lafayette, Tippecanoe Co., Ind.
662. Ronald Edward b. 11 SEP 1964 Syracuse, Onondaga Co., N. Y.
663. Kenneth Allen b. 8 OCT 1965 Syracuse, Onondaga Co., N. Y.
664. Sherri Lynn b. 16 FEB 1969 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind.

Before being married, Larry Smith served two years in the Military. He then attended Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind., grad. 1964 with BS Degree in Electrical Engineering; later obtained his MS Degree.

Susan (Gorrell) Smith attended Taylor University at Upton, Ind. grad. 1959 with BA Degree in Elementary Education; later studying at Indiana University in Blooming, Ind. and grad. with MA Degree. She has taught school at Lafayette, Ind. and Harlan, Ind.

Family residence at Indianapolis, Indiana.

389. DAVID PAUL GORRELL (Marcelene T., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 6 SEP 1939 s. of P. Clifford Gorrell and Marcelene T. Koch m. 21 JUN 1964 at Berne, Adams Co., Ind. (Mennonite church) to Judy Lichty dau. of Elmer Lichty and Naomi Stucky.

Children: (Surname GORRELL)

- 665. Laurie b. 21 JUN 1965 Decatur, Adams Co., Ind.
- 666. Ricky b. 4 JUL 1969 Decatur, Adams Co., Ind.
- 667. Randy b. 15 OCT 1970 Decatur, Adams Co., Ind.

Judy Gorrell does secretarial work in their home at Berne, Indiana.

David attended Taylor University at Upland, Ind. grad. 1963 with BS Degree in Elementary Education; later attended Ball State University at Muncie, Ind. grad. with MS Degree. He is principal of the Adams Central elementary school.

David also served apprenticeship in the electrician's trade while attending college and became a journeyman electrician in 1963. He works at this trade during summer vacations from his principal occupation in the school system.

390. PATTY JEAN KOCH (George, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 31 AUG 1935 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 10 AUG 1963 New Haven, Allen Co., Ind. to Ted Nieuwlandt b. 24 AUG 1945 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Firman Nieuwlandt and Louise Freeman. Patty Jean is the dau. of George Koch and Juanita Walker.

Children: (Surname NIEUWLANDT)

- 668. Tony b. 22 JAN 1964 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital).
- 669. Bryan b. 19 MAR 1966 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital).
- 670. Paul b. 14 MAY 1970 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital).
- 671. Janis b. 12 OCT 1978 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital).

Ted Nieuwlandt is employed as a brake mechanic in the Motor Truck Division Engineering Department of International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Family residence is in eastern rural Allen Co., Ind.

391. JERRY KOCH (George, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 10 FEB 1941 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of George L. Koch and Juanita R. Walker m. 15 OCT 1960 at Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. (M.E. church) to Peggy Stevenson b. 1 JUN 1942 dau. of Vernon Stevenson.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 672. Craig b. 22 APR 1961 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).
- 673. Cynthia b. 1 APR 1963 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).
- 674. Christine b. 27 JUN 1965 Naples, Collier Co., Fla.

While residing in Naples, Florida, Jerry Koch owned a sign and screen painting business (NOV 1981) but the family has now relocated to Statesville, North Carolina and he is driver of a cement truck.

392. KENNETH KOCH (George L., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 16 MAR 1943 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of George L. Koch and Juanita R. Walker m. 6 JUL 1963 Harlan, Ind. (M.E. church) to Sandra Stotler b. 17 MAR 1944 Hicksville, Ohio dau. of Kenneth Charles Stotler and Clara Estella (Nan) Lake.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 675. Mark Lynn b. 5 FEB 1965.
- 676. Karin Sue b. 27 JUL 1968.
- 677. Jeffrey Allen b. 22 MAY 1973.
- 678. Gail Lorraine b. 20 FEB 1982.

Kenneth G. Koch is a journeyman electrician employed by Shambaugh Electric Co. of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The family residence is located northeast of Harlan, Indiana.

393 JACK LESLIE KOCH (George L., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 10 OCT 1950 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital) s. of George Leslie Koch and Juanita Rose Walker m. 20 OCT 1973 at Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. by Aksel C. Larsen, pastor (Lutheran Church) to Mary Louise Schaefer b. 8 DEC 1954 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital) dau. of Ernest J. Schaefer and Flossie Pearl Baughman.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

- 679. Neil Ernest b. 12 OCT 1976 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital).
- 680. Nathan Paul b. 6 FEB 1979 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital).
- 681. Troy William b. 14 MAY 1981 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Mem. Hospital).

Like his brother Kenneth, Jack Koch is a journeyman electrician employed by Shambaugh Electric Co. of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Residence is located in eastern rural Allen Co., Ind. in the house built by Jack Koch's grandfather, Lessie Koch. His parents reside in the house next door.

394. LLOYD PAUL COBURN (Lloyd L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 3 AUG 1918 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. d. 10 JUN 1969 Princeton University, Princeton, N. J. s. of Lloyd L. Coburn and Mayme L. Burlingame m. AUG 1941 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio to Denise Capps b. 6 NOV 1920 Lucama, Wilson Co., North Carolina dau. of George Clarence Capps and Amy Alta Hollopeter.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

- 682. Paul Christopher b. 2 JUN 1945 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.
- 683. Denise Leslie b. 18 NOV 1949 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.
- 684. Ann Wade b. 14 JUN 1957 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich.
- 685. Calvin Craig b. 25 FEB 1959 Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich.

Denise Coburn was educated at Case Western Reserve and holds an M.S. Degree in Social Science Administration. She is employed as Professor, School of Social Work, Michigan State University at Lansing, Michigan.

Paul Coburn, as he was generally known, was a graduate of Case Western Reserve college at Cleveland, Ohio where he earned Bachelor's, Master's Degrees and his Ph.D. doctorate. At the time of his death, he was a professor at Michigan State University, Lansing, Michigan. He died in an airplane accident while attending an educators conference.

395. JACK WADE WILMOT (Audrey E. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 22 MAR 1938 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. AD s. of Fay A. Wilmot and Audrey E. Coburn m. 14 FEB 1959 Fort Wayne, Ind. Edna McCowen b. 23 SEP 1941 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of Gerald Devon McCowen and Edna Helena Karn.

Children: (Surname WILMOT)

- 686. Tina Marie b. 19 DEC 1959 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. She joined the U. S. Navy 17 APR 1980 and is stationed in California.
- 687. Terri Marlene b. 6 FEB 1961 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m. 23 JAN 1982 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Coburntown Church of Christ) to Steven Hewitt b. 17 MAY 1961 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Rollend Hewitt and Bonnie Carper. Residence in Florida.
- 688. Jack Wade Jr. b. 26 FEB 1962 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. He joined the U. S. Navy JUL 1977; is 3rd Class Yeoman, stationed at Washington, D.C. (Bureau of Naval Personnel).

Jack Wilmot Sr. served in the U.S. Navy; 13 years active service (1955-1968), and remained in the Reserves until retiring 1 MAR 1979. After having held various sales positions in electrical and related fields, he is now an instructor of electricity in a technical training school located at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Edna Wilmot is afflicted with multiple sclerosis.

396. MARTHA ANN COBURN (Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 AUG 1922 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 31 DEC 1941 at Spencer Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. by Walter H. Coburn to Orval Gwendol Stanfield b. 15 OCT 1920 Deshler, Henry Co., Ohio s. of Orval S. Stanfield and Florence Opal McMaster. Martha is the dau. of Estel Lee Coburn and Thelma Kiracofe.

Children: (Surname STANFIELD)

- +689. Max Larry b. 1 OCT 1942.
- +690. Gwendolyn Ann b. 10 JUL 1946.
- +691. Janice Lee b. 8 SEP 1947.
- +692. Michael Lemar b. 14 JUN 1950.

Orval Stanfield served in the U.S. Army and is now disabled.

Martha Stanfield is employed by the B & O Railroad as office secretary fulfilling office duties formerly performed by her uncle William Riley Coburn II.

397. BARBARA MAE (BOBBIE) COBURN (Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 25 MAR 1924 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Estel L. Coburn and Thelma Kiracofe m. 24 JAN 1945 at Jacksonville, Duval Co., Fla. Ralph

Henry Eggers b. 6 NOV 1922 Andover, Clinton Co., Iowa s. of John J. Eggers and Rosa Jess.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

- +693. James Ralph b. 17 OCT 1945.
- +694. Stanley Allen b. 16 MAY 1949.
- +695. Jeffrey Joe b. 23 AUG 1956.

Ralph Eggers served in the U.S. Navy 1942-1946. Barbara also served in the U.S. Navy 1944-1945.

Family residence is located at Andover, Iowa. Family church affiliation is Methodist.

398. WILLIAM RILEY COBURN III (Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 28 NOV 1926 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Estel Lee Coburn and Thelma Kiracofe m. 17 SEP 1947 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio Dorothy Irene Rager b. 29 AUG 1928 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio dau. of George Charles Rager and Erma A. Rothmann.

Children: (Surname COBURN)

696. Paul R. b. 22 MAY 1951 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio m. 22 FEB 1975 at Huron, Erie Co., Ohio Suzette Elaine Ritter b. 25 FEB 1953 Sandusky, Erie Co., Ohio dau. of Edward Ritter and Clara Louise Zuver. Paul Coburn is employed as an accountant and Suzette is a Registered Nurse. Residence at Huron, Ohio.

697. Pauline R. b. 22 MAY 1951 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio m. 8 MAR 1975 at Willard, Ohio to Dennis W. Edwards.

The above children are twins.

William Coburn is a salesman in occupation and Dorothy is employed as a secretary. The family residence is located at Willard, Ohio. Church affiliation Methodist.

400. DOUGLAS JACK MILLER (Pauline E. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 27 JUL 1926 Hicksville Twp., Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Paul E. Miller and Pauline E. Coburn m. 22 SEP 1946 at Hicksville, Ohio Jeanne Marie Laub b. 28 APR 1927 Gettysburg, Adams Co., Penn. dau. of Gordon Carroll Laub and Isabel C. Taylor.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

- +698. Gordon Paul b. 13 MAY 1948.
- +699. Allen Lee b. 30 JUL 1949.

Jack Miller, as he is commonly known, is a farmer in primary occupation; formerly a hog producer and later a grain farmer and truck gardener. He also is

401. PATRICIA ELLEN MILLER (Pauline E. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 JUL 1929 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Paul E. Miller and Pauline E. Coburn m. 26 AUG 1951 at Hicksville, Ohio Norman L. Miller b. 17 JUN 1927 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Delmar C. Miller and Addessa Martha Smith.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

700. David Lynn b. 15 APR 1953 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 13 JUL 1975 at Hicksville, Ohio Sharon L. Rohrs b. 10 FEB 1952 Hicksville, Ohio dau. of Carl Rohrs and Betty Neidhardt. David attended Kent State University grad. 1975 B.S. Degree in Telecommunications; continued his education at Ohio Northern University College of Law grad. MAY 1979 J.D. Degree and admitted to the bar in NOV 1979. Sharon also attended Kent State University grad. 1974 B.S. Degree Elementary Education; then attended Ohio Northern University College of Law grad. NOV 1979 J.D. Degree and admitted to the bar in MAY 1980. David and Sharon are engaged in the practice of law at Ada, Ohio where they make their home.

701. Linda Sue b. 26 OCT 1957 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

702. Mitchell Lee b. 19 JUN 1970 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Norman Miller is employed as an Inspector for the General Services Administration of the U.S. Government.

Patricia Miller attended Kent State University grad. B.S. Degree in Home Economics. She is employed as a school teacher.

Family residence is located at Hicksville, Ohio. Church affiliation Church of Christ.

402. NORVAL EUGENE WITHROW (Georgia M. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 20 MAY 1930 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Norval Withrow and Georgia M. Coburn m/1 and divd. Jacqueline Roberts. He then m/2 Nancy Grass.

Children: (Surname WITHROW)

703. Samuel David b. 7 MAY 1954.

704. Frederick Evan b. 3 SEP 1957.

705. Julie Ann b. 7 JAN 1960.

Norval Withrow m/3 Valerie Jeanne - - - about whom nothing further has been given.

Talented and trained in musical education, Norval taught this subject for a time in the high school at Elkhart, Ind. In 1976, he was living at Ann Arbor, Mich. and later was a member of the staff at Michigan State University at Lansing, Mich. He then relocated to California where he now resides.

Norval served in the U.S. Navy 1952-1954.

403. CAROLYN SUE WITHROW (Georgia M. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 MAY 1934 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Norval Withrow and Georgia M. Coburn m. 30 DEC 1951 Garrett, Ind. to Wayne Michael b. 6 MAY 1930 Muncie, Delaware Co., Ind. s. of Lewis Wilbur Michael and Gladys Dorothy Clark.

Children: (Surname MICHAEL)

- +706. Alan David b. 16 MAY 1954.
- 707. Randall Lee b. 24 JAN 1955 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind.
- +708. Cynthia Sue b. 22 NOV 1956.
- 709. Mark Steven b. 21 APR 1959 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. FEB 1981
Denise Fry.
- 710. Thomas O. b. 7 JAN 1969 Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Mich.

Wayne Michael was employed as a draftsman 15 years before entering Great Lakes Bible College at Lansing, Mich., grad. 1967 with Bachelor of Sacred Literature Degree. He then entered the ministry and served as pastor at Fayette St. Church of Christ, Hillsdale, Mich.; Church of Christ, Butler, Ind.; Southwest Christian Church, Daytona Beach, Fla. While continuing active participation in the ministry, he has since worked as a process engineer at Fostoria, Ohio and in a related field at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The family residence now is at Auburn, Indiana and Carolyn Sue works there as secretary at the mental health center.

404. BERNADINE ELAINE WADE (Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 SEP 1924 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Russell Alger Wade and Helen Vedith Lake m. 13 OCT 1939 Grabill, Allen Co., Ind. by Harvey L. Mitchell to Lee Hugh (Chick) Amaden b. 16 APR 1920 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio d. 29 DEC 1981 Hicksville, Ohio bur. Forest Home Cem., Hicksville, Ohio s. of John Augustus Amaden and Mary May Hootman.

Children: (Surname AMADEN)

- +711. Russell Lee b. 25 JAN 1941.
- +712. Judith Ann b. 24 OCT 1942.
- +713. Suzanne Lee b. 14 FEB 1947.
- 714. Lee Ann b. 12 DEC 1966 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Chick Amaden served in the U. S. Navy 1944-1946. In occupation, he was a lineman employed by General Telephone Company.

Family church affiliation Church of Christ. Residence at Hicksville, Ohio.

Obituary: Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; Wenesday, December 30, 1981.

Hicksville, O.- Lee "Chick" Amaden, 61, an employe of General Telephone Co., died Tuesday in Parkview Memorial Hospital, Fort Wayne. Surviving are his wife, Bernadine; a son, three daughters, three brothers and three sisters. Services will be at 3:30 p.m. Saturday in Brown Funeral Home, with calling after 7 p.m. today and after 9 a.m. Thursday and Saturday. There is no Friday visitation. Burial will be in Forest Home Cemetery.

405. IMA LEE WADE (Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 7 NOV 1927 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Russell Alger Wade and Helen Vedith Lake m. 30 SEP 1950 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Robert W. Spriestersbach b. 7 MAY 1926 Paulding, Paulding Co., Ohio s. of Henry Jacob Spriestersbach and Sophie Rebecca Arnold.

Children: (Surname SPRIESTERSBACH)

+715. Robert Jr. b. 23 MAR 1951.

+716. Deborah Jo b. 24 MAY 1952.

717. Timothy Lynn b. 21 JAN 1957 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. m. 9 NOV 1983 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. to Betty Jane Maddox b. 17 SEP 1958 dau. of Shannon Maddox Jr. and Cova Pearl Hilger. Timothy attended Lincoln Tech. Institute, grad. 1976 Car & Truck Mechanic; employed by Capitol Drilling & Supplies. Betty Jane is employed as a sales administrator at Indiana Food Brokerage Co.

Robert Spriestersbach is employed in the bakery of Kroger Foods at Indianapolis where the family resides.

406. CARROLL LUCILLE WADE (Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 8 JAN 1929 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Russell A. Wade and Helen Vedith Lake m. 12 JUL 1947 Pleasant Lake, Steuben Co., Ind. to Robert Walter Castator b. 30 MAR 1927 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. s. of Walter Jackson Castator and Ethel Mae Wogoman.

Children: (Surname CASTATOR)

+718. Sheila b. 16 JAN 1950.

+719. Wade Alan b. 24 JUL 1952.

+720. Roberta Jo b. 1 JAN 1959.

721. Valerie Jean b. 3 OCT 1961 Lagrange, Lagrange Co., Ind.

722. Raymond Neil b. 12 JUL 1963 Lagrange, Lagrange Co., Ind.

723. Anne Marie b. 19 MAR 1965 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind.

Residence at Waterloo, Indiana.

407. MARCIA WADE (Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 18 MAY 1922 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Albert M. Wade and Madonna H. Kinsey m. 5 FEB 1942 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. to Francis Burton (Bill) Sible b. 17 APR 1914 d. 7 APR 1981 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) s. of William Burton Sible and Clara Barnhart.

Children: (Surname SIBLE)

724. Gary b. 2 OCT 1943 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. m. 20 JUN 1970 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Sherri Davis dau. of Khurlow Kelso Davis and Margaret Esther Henninger.

+725. Glenda Sue b. 6 NOV 1946.

+726. Gene Martin b. 19 MAY 1947.

Bill Sible was a farmer in principal occupation. Family residence nr. St. Joe, Indiana.

Obituary: Fort Wayne News-Sentinel; Wednesday, April 8, 1981.

ST. JOE - Francis "Bill" Sible, 64, a retired circulation employe of Fort Wayne Newspapers Inc., died at 5:35 p.m. Tuesday in Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Surviving are his wife, Marcia; a daughter, two sons, and two sisters.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in St. Mark's Lutheran Church. Calling at Baidinger & Walter Funeral Home, Spencerville, begins at 2 p.m. Thursday.

Preferred memorials are gifts to the church or the Heart Fund.

408. BEVERLEY WADE (Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 OCT 1925 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. dau. of Albert M. Wade and Madonnna H. Kinsey m/1 NOV 1943 to Clifton Rupert who died 30 NOV 1944 in Military service.

Beverley (Wade) Rupert m/2 in 1946 at Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Thomas Bell b. 14 DEC 1922/23, his parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname BELL)

727. Bobbie Gene b. 16 JUL 1947 m. Patricia - - -.

Residence on Coldwater Lake nr. Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan.

409. MARGARET WADE (Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 SEP 1928 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. dau. of Albert M. Wade and Madonna H. Kinsey m. 9 OCT 1949 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. (St. Mark's Lutheran Church) to Robert James Barkman b. 4 MAY 1926 Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Ind. s. of John H. Barkman and Cletah Fawley Rowe.

Children: (Surname BARKMAN)

728. John James b. 14 MAY 1963 Clearwater, Pinellas Co., Florida (Morton F. Plant Hospital). He is understood to have married AUG 1984 but further details are missing.

Robert Barkman attended Southern Technical Electronics school at Tampa, Fla. grad. 1961; also graduated 1967 from RCA Institute, New York, N. Y. He is employed by Thompson Construction Co., Clearwater, Fla. as a carpenter and cabinet builder.

Residence is located at Palm Harbor, Florida.

410. MARLYN KINSEY WADE (Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 19 MAY 1930 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. dau. of Albert M. Wade and Madonna H. Kinsey m. 24 DEC 1950 Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind. to Orville Edward Funk b. 15 JUL 1927 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Lorin H. Funk and Cora Kohart.

Children: (Surname FUNK)

+729. Rietha Ann b. 8 JAN 1951.

+730. Renee Joan b. 29 MAY 1955.

Orville Funk is a farmer in occupation. Residence is located between Auburn, Ind. and St. Joe, Ind. on the family farm.

411. ALBERT EDWARD WADE (Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 26 NOV 1931 Detroit, Wayne Co., Mich. s. of Albert M. Wade and Madonna H. Kinsey m/1 31 DEC or 6 JAN 1956 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind. by Rev. Wm. J. Van-Vliet and divd. 1973 Elizabeth J. (Betty) Beckman b. 26 JUL 1936 Mercer Co., Ohio dau. of Oscar F. Beckman and Rose M. Ahrnes.

Children: (Surname WADE)

731. Brenda K. b. 6 FEB 1957 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

732. Carrie Jean b. 5 JUL 1960 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

733. Steven b. 4 JUN 1959 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

734. Diane Elaine b. AUG 1962 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

735. Pamela b. 28 JUL 1965 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

Edward Wade, as he is generally known, m/2 6 APR 1974 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Linda Akers b. 8 MAY 1938 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. of William Thomas Akers and Arba June Russell.

Children: (Surname WADE)

736. Adam Lucas b. 31 JAN 1977 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

Linda Akers had m/1 William L. Parker by whom there were the following children: (Surname PARKER)

(1) Denise Lorraine b. 28 APR 1958.

(2) Brian Craig b. 29 SEP 1959.

(3) Neal Blake b. 8 MAR 1961.

(4) Kevin William b. 3 JUN 1963.

Linda (Akers) Wade attended Purdue University and Olivet College majoring in Sociology (non-grad.) and is employed as a media clerk by the Fort Wayne Community School System.

Edward Wade has been employed since c.1960 by the Zollner Corp. as a molder and set-up man in the foundry. Family residence is located at Fort Wayne, Ind.

412. SALLY O. WADE (Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 6 NOV 1933 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Albert M. Wade and Madonna H. Kinsey m. 18 NOV 1952 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. and divd. SEP 1958 Ralph Dean Wolfe b. 18 NOV 1929 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Clarence Cleo Wolfe and Hazel McClellan.

Children: (Surname WOLFE)

- +737. Katherine b. 1 FEB 1954.
- +738. Wendell DuWayne b. 19 APR 1955.
- +739. Darrell Wayne b. 12 DEC 1956
- 740. Tammy Irene b. 12 NOV 1962.

Sally Wolfe resides at St. Joe, Indiana.

413. FRANKLIN WADE (Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 16 JUL 1936 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Albert M. Wade and Madonna H. Kinsey m/1 JUN 1956 Allen Co., Ind. and divd. Arlene Grover. No issue.

Franklin Wade m/2 8 AUG 1959 Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. to Letha Lengacher b. 1 JUL 1934 nr. Woodburn, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Victor Lengacher and Rose Graber.

Children: (Surname WADE)

- 741. Stacey Lynn b. 27 APR 1965 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital). Multiple handicapped.
- 742. Damita b. 10 MAY 1963 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Hospital).

Franklin is a production employe of the Goodrich Tire & Rubber Co. in their plant located nr. Woodburn, Ind. The family residence also is located near Woodburn, Ind.

414. GWYNN LEE WADE (George E. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 11 JAN 1933 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George Elwood Wade and Helen Edith Storer m. 30 MAY or 2 JUN 1951 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. C. Lacy Satterfield to Dwayne Harris b. 8 DEC 1931 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio s. of Cliff Harris and Elma Fink (Pockl).

Children: (Surname HARRIS)

- +743. Mark b. 1 JUL 1955.
- 744. Scott b. 4 AUG 1959 d. c.1980 (auto accident).
- 745. Jill b. 17 AUG 1965.
- 746. Jan b. 23 OCT 1967.

Last known, Dwayne Harris was a Chrysler automobile dealer at Huron, Ohio where the family resides.

415. KAREN KAY WADE (George E. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 JAN 1944 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George Elwood Wade and Helen Edith Storer m. 1 JUL 1967 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (First Christian Church) to Eugene Edward Hathaway b. 21 APR 1945 Garrett, Ind. s. of Elmer Leo Hathaway and Laurine Bertha Dourind.
Down end

Children: (Surname HATHAWAY)

747. Hodd Allen b. 3 AUG 1972.

748. Holly b. 9 NOV 1974.

In occupation, Eugene Hathaway is a football coach and last known was employed by the High School at South Whitley, Ind. where the family then resided.

416. MICHELLE JOANNE WADE (George E., Roy L., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 2 NOV 1945 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of George Elwood Wade and Helen Edith Storer m. 20 AUG 1965 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Robert P. Hodge, J. P. to Jack LeRoy Shafer b. 22 APR 1945 Ind. s. of Lee Shafer.

Children: (Surname SHAFER)

749. Mathew b. 6 FEB 1968.

750. Samuel b. 12 DEC 1972.

Family residence in 1976 was at Racine, Wisconsin.

418. JAMES EDWARD BOWSER (Janice A., Lloyd O., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 22 APR 1931 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Gale T. Bowser and Janice A. Wade m. 28 DEC 1957 Elizabeth Ann (Jill) Bryan b. 10 FEB 1935 dau. of Park A. Bryan and Mary Williams.

Children: (Surname BOWSER)

751. Bryan b. 14 OCT 1958.

752. Blair b. 18 AUG 1961.

In occupation, James Bowser has been employed as a technical writer by the Birch Printing Co. at St. Joseph, Mich. where the family resides.

419. JERRY WADE BOWSER (Janice A., Lloyd O., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 6 MAY 1932 s. of Gale T. Bowser and Janice A. Wade m. 12 JUN 1954 Mary E. Smyers b. 28 MAY 1934 dau. of Myllan (Mike) Smyers and Alice Malott.

Children: (Surname BOWSER)

753. Cheryl b. 23 DEC 1955.

754. (AD) Steven b. 10 JUL 1963.

755. (AD) Jan (m) b. 7 JUN 1965.

756. Daniel David b. 25 AUG 1966.

757. Elizabeth Janice b. 14 JUN 1969.

Family residence located at Indianapolis, Indiana.

421. TIMOTHY WADE HELLEN (Mary E., Lloyd O., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 13 JAN 1942 s. of Edd Russell Hellen and Mary E. Wade m. prob. c.1959 and divd. Patsy Jones b. 20 FEB 1942, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname HELLEN)

758. Carre Rene b. 4 NOV 1960.

425. JANICE ELAINE SNOKE (Musa E., Clifford M., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 6 JAN 1928 Chicago, Cook Co., Ill. (St. Lukes Hospital) d. 5 DEC 1983 Knoxville, Knox Co., Tenn. (leukemia) dau. of Floyd Snoke and Musa E. Wade m/1 12 MAY 1949 Wabash, Ind. and divd. Frank Walker s. of Shelly Lemon Walker and Beulah Potts.

Children: (Surname WALKER)

+759. Robert Joe b. 25 MAY 1947.

+760. Candace Sue b. 27 AUG 1949.

761. Michael Shelby b. 27 MAY 1952 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. m. 8 AUG 1982 Star Lakavge.

Janice (Snoke) Walker m/2 in Ohio to Robert Walker b. 13 NOV 1916 d. 16 AUG 1980, brother of her first husband. Their residence was located at Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

426. ROBERT MAURICE SNOKE (Musa E., Clifford M., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 26 JAN 1929 Claypool, Kosciusko Co., Ind. s. of Floyd Snoke and Musa E. Wade m. 3 JAN 1951 Laketon, Wabash Co., Ind. to Roberta Rosalie Heagy b. 31 DEC 1928 Roann, Wabash Co., Ind. dau. of LaVerne Hunter Heagy and Carrie Phyllis Snoke.

Children: (Surname SNOKE)

+762. Linda Coleen b. 24 MAR 1951.

+763. Steven Ray b. 25 JUN 1952.

+764. Elaine Ann b. 30 AUG 1953.

765. Stanley Lee b. 25 APR 1961 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind.

Robert Snoke was employed for a number of years as a production employe of International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind, driving to and from work daily from the family home at Claypool, Ind. until about Spring 1980 when residence was taken up at Fort Wayne. After this company relocated their operations to Springfield, Ohio, Robert has taken employment with a firm doing automotive service work at Fort Wayne since about 1983.

427. JOHN THOMAS WADE (Glen P., Clifford M., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 9 AUG 1940 Wabash, Wabash Co., Ind. s. of Glen Parker Wade and Roberta Black m/1 prob. c.1958 and divd. 15 OCT 1971 Kosciusko Co., Ind. to Donella R. (Donna) Stouder of Huntington, Ind., her dates and parentage not determined.

Children: (Surname WADE)

+766. Glenn Parker b. 30 JUL 1959.

767. Wendell b. c.1962 d. 19 AUG 1979 (auto accident).

768. John b. c.1963.

769. Roberta b. c.1969.

John Thomas Wade m/2 23 OCT 1971 Defiance Co., Ohio by Mark Clark (county court judge of Lebanon, Ohio) and divd. Mary Jane Kessler b. 18 MAR 1944 Portland, Jay Co., Ohio dau. of Glen Kessler and Mildred Corle. No issue.

For his third wife, John Wade married Mrs. Helen Boardman c. 1977.

Children: (Surname WADE)

770. Jennifer (Jenny).

In occupation, John Wade has an executive position with the Penguin Point chain of restaurants operating mainly in northeastern Indiana.

The family residence is located near Warsaw, Indiana and Helen Wade is an RN in the hospital there. She is understood to have a son by her first marriage.

428. ANN WADE (Gearold C., Stearl E., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 5 MAR 1958 Defiance, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Gearold C. Wade and Lucille Gingrich m. 4 JAN 1958 Defiance, Ohio and divd. 1975 Daniel R. Smith b. 16 JUN c.1934 prob. at Greenville, Darke Co., Ohio s. of Floyd Smith and Margaret Ross.

Children: (Surname SMITH)

771. Sheri Ann b. 10 DEC 1962 Greenville, Darke Co., Ind.

772. Dana Ann b. 19 APR 1965 Greenville, Darke Co., Ind.

Ann Smith is engaged in insurance sales at Edgerton, Ohio.

429. RICHARD WAYNE CREAGER (Irene H., Stearl E., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 29 AUG 1936 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m. c.1956 and divd. 1965 Marylee Harter, her dates and parentage not given.

Children; (Surname CREAGER)

773. Larie Keith b. 26 DEC 1957.

774. Carol Ann b. 1 OCT 1959.

775. Kevin Lee b. 4 SEP 1962.

Richard Creager m/2 c.1967/68 Dixie Allomond, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

776. Andera Nicole b. 31 JUL 1971.

Family residence is located at Nicholasville, Kentucky.

430. JERRY DEAN CREAGER (Irene H., Stearl E., Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 15 SEP 1942 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m. 1 SEP 1961 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Eunice D. Tilghman b. 7 APR 1943 Auburn, Ind. dau. of Willard Womach Tilghman and Violet Esther Thimlar.

Children; (Surname CREAGER)

777. Kimberly Dawn b. 26 SEP 1962 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.

Residence at Waterloo, Indiana.

431. WILLIAM GENE CREAGER (Irene H., Wade, Stear E. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 3 SEP 1944 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m. 24 OCT 1971 and divd. 26 SEP 1980 Marjorie Neuman, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

778. Ken O'Brien b. 21 JUN 1972.

Residence at Kendallville, Indiana.

432. ROGER DALE CREAGER (Irene H. Wade, Stearl E. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 1 JAN 1948 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Kenneth Creager and Irene H. Wade m. 16 MAR 1968 Giesla Summers, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname CREAGER)

779. (AD) Danny b. c.1968.

780. Wayne b. 3 JUL 1972.

Roger Creager served in the U. S. Army since c.1967 and last known was stationed at Frankfort, Germany.

436. LARRY LEW BENJAMIN (Charles E. Benjamin, Jessie M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 15 JUN 1942 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Charles E. Benjamin and Dorothy M. Zentz m. 20 JUN 1970 Fort Wayne, Ind. (St. Peter's Catholic Church) to Rose Eileen Vorndran b. 7 MAR 1947 Fort Wayne, Ind. dau. (St. Joseph Hospital) dau. of George J. Vorndran and Elizabeth Marie (Bette) Hite.

Children: (Surname BENJAMIN)

781. Mark Charles b. 17 APR 1976 Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind. (General Hospital).

782. Renee Elizabeth b. 21 MAR 1979 Elkhart, Elkhart Co., Ind. (General Hospital).

Rose Benjamin attended St. Francis College at Fort Wayne, Ind. grad. 1969 with B.S. Degree in Education and continued her schooling at Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind. grad. 1972 with M.S. Degree in Education. She is employed as an elementary school teacher in the Elkhart, Ind. public school system.

Larry Benjamin attended Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind. grad. 1969 with B.S. Degree in Biology Education and grad. 1974 with M.S. Degree in that field. He has furthered his education with a number of courses at Notre Dame University at South Bend, Ind. He is employed as a teacher in the Elkhart, Ind. public schools, teaching general science at Brookdale Junior High School and Memorial High School and currently assigned to Central High School.

Rose's church affiliation is Catholic while Larry's is Lutheran.

The family residence is located near Bristol, Indiana.

437. JAMES WADE BENJAMIN (Charles E. Benjamin, Jessie M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 13 MAY 1945 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) s. of Charles E. Benjamin and Dorothy M. Zentz m. 14 DEC 1968 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Trinity Lutheran Church) to Lanna Lee Swaim b. 13 FEB 1943 Fort Wayne, Ind. (Memorial Hospital) dau. of Max Lee Swaim and Evelyn Jewett.

Children: (Surname BENJAMIN)

783. Heather Lee b. 30 DEC 1969 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

784. James Wade Jr. b. 22 JUN 1974 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

Lanna Benjamin attended William Woods School for Women at Fulton, Mo. grad. 1963 with A.A. Degree and also studied Liberal Arts at the Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Mich. She was employed prior to marriage in real estate but currently is employed by the Fort Wayne Community Schools as an audio and visual aids assistant.

James Benjamin attended Indiana State University at Terre Haute, Ind. and Purdue University, Fort Wayne, Ind. campus studying Mechanical Engineering. He is employed by International Harvester Co. at Fort Wayne, Ind. as an engineer in the motor truck engineering and development facilities.

Family church affiliation Lutheran. Residence at Fort Wayne, Ind.

438. JANELL RAE BENJAMIN (Charles E. Benjamin, Jessie M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 3 FEB 1953 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital) dau. of Charles E. Benjamin and Dorothy M. Zentz m. 22 MAY 1976 Fort Wayne, Ind. (outdoor ceremony in Centlivre Park, Calvary Temple Church) to Samuel Clayton Hensley b. 22 DEC 1948 Fairmount, Grant Co., Ind. s. of Buford Alvin Hensley and Juanita Hensley.

Children: (Surname HENSLEY)

785. Christopher Michael b. 15 OCT 1978 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

786. Jessica Clair b. 26 MAR 1982 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

Samuel Hensley attended public schools in Fort Wayne, Ind. and is employed by Food Marketing Corp. in their warehouse operation at Fort Wayne, Ind. He is a licensed paramedic and works part-time in this field as well as serving with the volunteer fire department at Huntertown, Ind. where the family resides.

Jamell Hensley has studied at the Fort Wayne Bible College, Fort Wayne, Ind. and has held clerical positions with the Lincoln Life Insurance Co. and the Brotherhood Mutual Insurance Co., both of Fort Wayne, Ind. She and her sister Sally are active in children's ministry presenting programs at churches of various denominations in a radius of about 50 miles from Fort Wayne, Ind. using

concept of instruction in their method of interpreting Biblical passages and messages. Janell also is an active participant holding office in the Fort Wayne branch of the Right to Life movement.

Family church affiliation is United Brethren.

440. THOMAS EDWARD SCHROEDER (Hilda Irene Volkert, Elmer J. Volkert, Samantha, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 2 SEP 1950 s. of Wayne E. Schroeder and Hilda Irene Volkert m. 6 JUN 1970 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. by Richard W. Widman, clergyman, to Pamela Mountz b. 30 DEC 1951 Newport, Newport Co., R. I. dau. of Robert Charles Mountz and Frances Joan Smith.

Children: (Surname SCHROEDER)

787. Todd b. 19 SEP 1971.

Pamela Schroeder is employed as assistant manager of the shop, Things Remembered, in Glenbrook Mall, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Thomas Schroeder is employed as machinist, shop foreman, by Flickinger Industries of Fort Wayne, Ind. where the family resides.

442. LANA VOLKERT (Harold Volkert, Elmer J. Volkert, Samantha, Simon, John U. Koch) dau. of Harold Volkert and Arline Scheubel m. Nicholas Wilkins.

Children: (Surname WILKINS)

788. Aaron.

789. Mitchell.

This family resides in North Carolina. No further details given.

445. ROBERT WAYNE ROSENBURY (Vera B. Walter, Pearl M., John U., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 5 APR 1927 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Waldo Rosenbury and Vera B. Walter m/1 2 AUG 1947 DeKalb Co., Ind. by A. W. York and divd. Patricia H. McClish b. 19 JUL 1928 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Russell McClish and Martha Chapman. No issue.

Robert Rosenbury m/2 on 25 OCT 1958 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Albert Clarke, min. (M.E. church) to Laura Elizabeth Freeman b. 19 JUL 1922 Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Paul Freeman and Bessie Boren.

Children: (Surname ROSENBURY)

790. Robert Wayne Jr. b. 26 MAY 1959. Unm.

Laura (Freeman) Rosenbury had m/1 and divd. - - - Wilcoxson.

Robert Rosenbury served 15 months in the U. S. Navy during WWII. He is a farmer in occupation with the family residence near St. Joe, Ind.

446. CHARLES WENDALL ROSENBURY (Vera B. Walter, Pearl M., John U., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 22 DEC 1928 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Waldo E. Rosenbury and Vera B. Walter m. 28 MAR 1954 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. Robert E. Prinzing to Beverly Rose Nodine b. 26 JUL 1932 Butler, Ind. dau. of James Nodine and Essie Utter.

Children: (Surname ROSENBURY)

+791. Kenton Wendall b. 12 SEP 1955.

792. James Edward b. 23 DEC 1956 m. 29 MAY 1978 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Mt. Pleasant church) to Jeanette Louise Sabo dau. of Ernest Sabo and Evelyn - - -. No issue. James is presently attending Indiana University at Fort Wayne, Ind. campus studying Marketing. Residence at Butler, Ind.

At the time of marriage, Charles Rosenbury was employed as a sheet metal worker. He is now a maintenance employe of Kraft Foods at Kendallville, Ind.

Family residence at St. Joe, Ind.

447. CAROL AILEEN ROSENBURY (Vera B. Walter, Pearl M., John U., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 25 OCT 1930 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Waldo Rosenbury and Vera B. Walter m. 5 SEP 1948 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Rev. Kenneth J. Hostetler (Mt. Pleasant Evangelical Un. Brethren Church) to Arthur Lewis Culbertson b. 29 NOV 1927 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ross Culbertson and Agnes Leis.

Children: (Surname CULBERTSON)

+793. Susan Anne b. 31 MAY 1951.

+794. Stephen Lewis b. 19 DEC 1952.

Arthur Culbertson is the owner of Culbertson's Plastics manufacturing plant at Opa Locka, Florida.

Family residence is in Hialeah, Florida.

453. SHARON ELAINE EADIE (Eloise E. Coburn, Beulah D., J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 20 AUG 1938 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Charles R. Eadie Jr. and Eloise E. Coburn m. 8 AUG 1958 at Seattle, King Co., Washington to John Louis Eggebrecht b. 23 JUN 1935 s. of John Jay Eggebrecht and Marion Faye McKinley.

Children: (Surname EGGBRECHT)

795. Kurt Louis b. 18 MAR 1960. Attended InterLake H.S. at Bellevue, Wa grad. 1978; then worked as laborer, mechanic 1978-1981; entered computer programming program at Metropolitan Business College, Seattle, Wa.

John Eggebrecht attended Jackson Junior College at Jackson, Mich. grad. 1955 Assoc. of Science; University of Michigan grad. 1958 B.S.M.E. Employed since

1958 as Mechanical Engineer by Boeing Airplane Co. and presently engineering supervisor, 767 Air Conditioning System.

Sharon Eggebrecht attended Bellevue Community College 1970-1972 and the University of Washington grad. 1972 Assoc. of Arts - Education; 1975 B.S. Education and 1981 5th year degree in Education. She was employed as a substitute teacher 1976-1978 and since 1979 as Librarian at InterLake H.S., Bellevue, Wa.

454. JACK A. CROWELL (Hilda M., E. LeRoy, J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch)
b. 17 JAN 1930 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio s. of Clifton Crowell and Hilda M. Koch m/1 13 JUL 1951 Baltimore, Baltimore Co., Md. and divd. Rosemary Fonte
b. 4 MAR 1932 (of Italian descent).

Children: (Surname CROWELL)

796. John b. 18 FEB 1954 Baltimore, Baltimore Co., Md.

Jack Crowell m/2 prob. c.1957 Patsy Taylor whose dates and parentage have not been given.

Children: (Surname CROWELL)

797. Paige R. b. 21 FEB 1958 Marion, Grant Co., Ind. m. 4 SEP 1978 Robert Keith Jones.

798. Chris b. 24 FEB 1960 Marion, Grant Co., Ind.

799. Jill b. 4 DEC 1961 Marion, Grant Co., Ind. m. 4 APR 1980 Ronald Dean Shively.

Family residence is located at Marion, Indiana.

455. JAMES C. CROWELL (Hilda M., E. LeRoy, J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch)
b. 30 NOV 1930 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Clifton Crowell and Hilda M. Koch
m/1 5 APR 1951 Piqua, Miami Co., Ohio to Norma Arlene Garbig dau. of Russell J. Garbig and Opal Hoover.

Children: (Surname CROWELL)

800. 'James C. b. 2 JUL 1952 Piqua, Miami Co., Ohio m. 6 MAY 1978 Katherine Myers.

801. Marilyn Ann (Mitzi) b. 29 JUN 1954 Piqua, Miami Co., Ohio m. 29 JAN 1972 Kevin Wenrick.

Norma (Garbig) Crowell m/2 Jack Willis.

James Crowell m/2 Henrienne CoCo AD dau. of Domenic CoCo. No issue. Henrienne had m/1 - - - North who deceased.

Family residence at Troy, Ohio.

458. RICHARD THORPE KOCH (Bruce C., E. LeRoy, J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch)
b. 8 MAR 1935 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Bruce C. Koch and Ellen Lucille

Gee m. 10 AUG 1957 Flint, Genesee Co., Mich. to Sharon Lorain Church b. 11 NOV 1938 Flint, Mich. dau. of Amos Austin Church and Dorothy Vivian Cutler.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

802. Steven Dale b. 17 AUG 1958 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. unm. He grad. Spring 1981 from Frostburg State College with BS Degree in History; now attending University of Maryland with teaching assistantship and plans to complete double Masters Degree in History and Library Science.
803. Alicia Diane b. 16 AUG 1959 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. m. 21 MAY 1978 at Frostburg, Md. to Kevin Jay Garbelman b. 27 JUN 1952 Washington, D. C. s. of Paul Benjamin Garbelman and Elizabeth DeThane Merriman. Kevin attended Frostburg State College grad. BS Degree in Speech and Theatre; now studying at University of Maryland toward BS Degree in Computer Science. Alicia attended Duke University grad. 1980 with BS Degree in Religion; continued studies at Catholic University, Washington, D. C. grad. 1982 with Master's Degree in Library Science (children's). Residence at Dale City, Virginia.
804. Celeste Dawn b. 22 APR 1962 Frostburg, Allegany Co., Md. m. SEP 1983 Roger Dale Nichols b. NOV 1961 s. of Arthur Kenneth Nichols and Margaret Sharon Ramsey. Roger attended college grad. BS Degree in Communications. Celeste attended Wright State College at Dayton, Ohio (did not grad. but chose marriage with a delayed return to school). Both Celeste and Roger are employed at K-Mart in Waverly, Ohio. Res. at Chillicothe, Ohio.
805. Vivian Drew b. 29 MAR 1969.

Richard Koch attended General Motors Institute in Flint, Mich. grad. 1957 with BSME Degree. He then accepted a position with the Allison Div. of General Motors Corp. at Indianapolis, Ind. where he worked 1957-1961; leaving there to join the Allegany Ballistic Laboratory, Hercules, Inc. at Frostburg, Md. where he is now employed as engineering supervisor.

Both Richard and Sharon Koch are active in many different youth groups and enjoy their participation. Richard also is an avid genealogist and pursues every opportunity to research, especially when trips in connection with his work take him in the vicinity of the LDS facilities at Salt Lake City, Utah or the National Archives at Washington, D. C. He has contributed a considerable amount of information of help in organizing the present volume.

459. ELLEN E. KOCH (Bruce C., E. LeRoy, J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 11 JUN 1936 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Bruce C. Koch and Ellen L. Gee m. 1955 at Vandalia, Montgomery Co., Ohio and divd. 1980 Charles Lee (Chuck) Wilkerson b. 21 FEB 1936 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio s. of Donald Edward Wilkerson and Allie Mae Jenkins.

Children: (Surname WILKERSON)

806. Sherilyn Ann (Sheri) b. 29 NOV 1956 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio m. 29 NOV 1980 Dale Flory.

807. Martin Charles b. 12 JUN 1958 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio.

Ellen (Koch) Wilkerson attended Wright State University at Dayton, Ohio grad. with BS Degree, followed by MS Degree in 1978 in Education (Elementary). She is employed as school principal at Bellville Elementary School in Richland Co., Ohio. Residence at Mansfield, Ohio.

Charles Wilkerson was an air freight truck driver.

460. ROBERT DENMAN KOCH (Bruce C., E. LeRoy, J. Wilson, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 18 JUL 1951 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio s. of Bruce C. Koch and Ellen L. Gee m. 11 SEP 1971 Vandalia, Montgomery Co., Ohio to Kristine Elaine Cramer b. 19 JUN 1951 Dayton, Ohio dau. of Kenneth D. Cramer and Dorothy Merle Myers.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

808. Joshua Sean b. 22 MAR 1973 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio.

809. Nichole Lynn (Nikki) b. 14 APR 1974 Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio.

Robert Koch attended Wright State University at Dayton, Ohio grad. 1974 with BS Degree in Systems Engineering; also c.1982 MS Degree in Computer Science. He is employed as a systems engineer by Systems & Applied Sciences Corp. of Dayton, Ohio. Since 1978, Robert has held an amateur radio operator license with call sign WD8RAY (Technician Class).

The family resides at Fairborn, Ohio.

461. JUDITH ANN (JUDY) MILLER (Ethelyn Baker, Walter J. Baker, Anna, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 10 AUG 1940 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of William Maurice Miller and Ethelyn Elaine Baker m. 2 JAN 1959 Spencerville, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Methodist Church by Henry G. Weber, min.) to Tommie Ned Powell b. 25 APR 1939 Allen Co., Ind. s. of Harold Joe Powell and Dorothy Mae Taylor.

Children: (Surname POWELL)

810. Ned Allen b. 26 OCT 1959 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio m. 24 JUL 1982 Harlan, Allen Co., Ind. by Gerald L. Keller, pastor to Karen Elaine Busche b. 1 FEB 1962 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Otto L. Busche Jr. and Elaine P. Roth. No issue.

811. Brian.

812. Kim.

813. Ruth m. MAR 1983 in Texas to Derrel Holmes. No issue. Res. Texas.

814. Michael b. 23 SEP 1969.

Children may not be listed in proper order in the absence of birthdates.

Family residence at Spencerville, Indiana.

462. JAMES L. MILLER (Ethelyn E. Baker, Walter J. Baker, Anna, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 10 SEP 1947 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of William Maurice Miller and Ethelyn Elaine Baker m. 22 FEB 1975 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Chester D. Zarger, min., to Sandra Sue Warstler b. 1 OCT 1953 Hicksville, Ohio dau. of James Franklin Warstler and Kathleen Marie Fogle.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

815. Kelly Renee b. 30 AUG 1976 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.

816. Kassy Marie b. 29 JAN 1980 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.

At the time of marriage, Sandra Miller was employed as a beautician. James Miller is an employe of B. F. Goodrich Tire & Rubber Co. in their tire manufacturing plant near Woodburn, Indiana.

Residence is located at Spencerville, Indiana on property previously owned by James Miller's parents.

463. WILLIAM TED MILLER (Ethelyn E. Baker, Walter J. Baker, Anna, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 22 OCT 1950 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio s. of William Maurice Miller and Ethelyn Elaine Baker m. 13 MAR 1971 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. by Donald C. Steltz, min., to Debra Ann Warstler b. 4 NOV 1951 Hicksville, Ohio dau. of James Franklin Warstler and Kathleen Marie Fogle. William Miller and his brother James Miller married sisters.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

817. Derik.

818. Vince.

At the time of marriage, William Miller was serving as a member of the U. S. Navy.

Residence near St. Joe, Indiana.

464. GWEN MILLER (Ethelyn E. Baker, Walter J. Baker, Anna, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. c.1953 (poss. at Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio) dau. of William Maurice Miller and Ethelyn Elaine Baker m. in Ohio to David Michuc, his dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname MICHUC)

819. Danny.

820. Ben.

821. Abbie.

Residence at Edgerton, Ohio.

468. JERRI LYNN MORR (Jerry D. Morr, Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 19 MAY 1951 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital) dau. of Jerry D. Morr and Marilyn G. Aller m/1 14 AUG 1971 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. by Herschel L. McCord, min., to Garry Howard Farr b. 28 MAR 1951 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. d. 26 DEC 1972 AD s. of William D. Farr and Harriette Peterson. No issue.

Jerri (Morr) Farr m/2 on 22 JUN 1974 at Shakertown, Kentucky by Baptist min. (vows repeated in Catholic Church, Harrodsburg, Kentucky) to John Russell (Rusty) Weitzel s. of Valentine Weitzel and Kathryn - - -.

Children: (Surname WEITZEL)

822. Kathryn Lynn b. 22 OCT 1978.

823. Matthew Carl b. 8 MAY 1981.

John Weitzel is employed as a social worker and Jerry Weitzel is a school teacher in Special Education.

469. JOHN DAVID MORR (Jerry D. Morr, Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 1 JUL 1953 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital) s. of Jerry D. Morr and Marilyn G. Allen m. 27 JAN 1973 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. by John Flockhart, min. (Trinity U.M. church) to Diana Kay Schoeff b. 14 OCT 1953 Huntington, Huntington Co., Ind. dau. of Warden Eugene Schoeff and Mary Catherine Karst.

Children: (Surname MORR)

824. Jessica Leigh b. 27 JUN 1977.

825. Abigail Elizabeth b. 15 APR 1979.

826. Kristine Anne b. 19 MAY 1982.

Diana Morr is a trained beautician. John Morr is an insurance agent with office in Kendallville, Indiana.

Residence at Albion, Indiana.

472. MONTY JOHN MORR (Justin W. Morr Jr., Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 3 APR 1950 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital) s. of Justin W. Morr Jr. and Barbara F. Klinger m/1 on 10 DEC 1972 at Washington, D. C. and divd. Judy Spewock, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname MORR)

827. Samantha b. 11 AUG 1976.

828. Nicholas b. 12 DEC 1980.

Monty Morr m/2 on 14 FEB 1983 at Cromwell, Noble Co., Ind. to Jan E. Karst b. 18 DEC 1954 Huntington, Huntington Co., Ind. dau. of William Karst and Doris Paul.

Jan (Karst) Morr had married two times previously and has son Jeffrey Pauley from her second marriage.

Residence at Kimmell, Indiana.

473. VALERIE LYNN MORR (Justin W. Morr Jr., Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 6 OCT 1951 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital) dau. of Justin W. Morr Jr. and Barbara F. Klinger m/1 and divd. Jack Fritz s. of Ervin Fritz and Betty - - -.

Children: (Surname FRITZ)

829. Christopher b. 6 MAY 1968. (Resides with his grandmother, Barbara (Klinger) (Morr) Stoner nr. Columbia City, Whitley Co., Ind.

Valerie (Morr) Fritz m/2 Charles Roy whose dates and parentage have not been given.

Children: (Surname ROY)

830. Child (name and birthdate unk.)

831. Child (name and birthdate unk.)

474. KERRY LEE MORR (Justin W. Morr Jr., Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 20 MAR 1953 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital) dau. of Justin W. Morr Jr. and Barbara F. Klinger m/1 on 1 NOV 1973 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. by Kenneth E. Foulke, min., and annulled Teresa Renee Pugh b. 29 AUG 1957 Kendallville, Ind. dau. of Jack Bowman Pugh and Ruth Ethel Yeiter.

Children: (Surname MORR)

832. Casey (m) b. 6 JUN 1974.

Kerry Morr m/2 on 28 AUG 1982 Olfelia A. Delgado b. 6 JAN 1960 Paulding, Paulding Co., Ohio dau. of Raymond Delgado and Mary Almaraz.

Children: (Surname MORR)

833. Kylee Marie b. 6 DEC 1982.

Olfelia Morr had m/1 - - - Miller and marriage was annulled.

Residence at Albion, Indiana.

478. TIMOTHY BLAINE LOCK (Betty J. Morr, Justin W. Morr Sr., Amanda, Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 27 MAR 1960 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. s. of Norman E. Lock and Betty Jean Morr m. 19 MAR 1978 Albion, Noble Co., Ind. by John Flockhart, United Methodist min. to Carol May Shisler b. 21 MAY 1961 Kendallville, Ind. dau. of Nicholas Kyle Shisler and Alice Annetta Haney.

Children: (Surname LOCK)

834. Nicholas Kyle.

835. Heather.

Residence at Albion, Indiana.

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377. BASIL JEROME FABERA (Marie, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 1 JUL 1933 Kingston, Tuscola Co., Mich. s. of Robert Fabera and Marie Koch m. and divd. Adelle Prell, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname FABERA)

(1) Gail b. 23 JUL 1977.

Basil Fabera was a twin to sister Barbara. He resides at Prescott, Michigan.

378. BARBARA JANE FABERA (Marie, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 1 JUL 1933 Kingston, Tuscola Co., Mich. (a twin) dau. of Robert Fabera and Marie Koch m. 14 SEP 1966 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich. Clarence Partlo b. 23 JUN 1929 s. of Laurence Partlo and Leatha Marie Rice.

Children: (Surname PARTLO)

(1) Mark Alan b. 2 JAN 1967 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich.

Barbara also has a son Perry b. 24 OCT 1949 from a previous alliance, surname not stated.

Family residence is located at West Branch, Michigan.

379. ROBERT MELVIN FABERA (Marie, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 12 MAR 1935 Prescott, Ogemaw Co., Mich. s. of Robert Fabera and Marie Koch m. 7 SEP 1961 Whittemore, Iosco Co., Mich. to Ilene Pausits b. 30 AUG 1936 Highland Park, Mich. dau. of Raymond Pausits and Helen Karafa.

Children: (Surname FABERA)

(1) (AD) Pamela b. 28 DEC 1957 m. 28 MAY 1977 Kelvin Stone b. 10 NOV 1954 s. Alex Stone and Mary Ellen Brindley. Their children: (Surname STONE)
(1) Marc b. 17 OCT 1978 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich.
(2) Ryan b. 3 JUL 1981 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich.

380. MARION V. FABERA (Marie, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 5 APR 1937 Prescott, Ogemaw Co., Mich. dau. of Robert Fabera and Marie Koch m. 20 FEB 1957 at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. and divd. Ralph Leon Neely b. 19 JUN 1937 New Bloomfield, Callaway Co., MO s. of James Virgil Neely and Lily Myrtle Barnard.

Children: (Surname NEELY)

(1) Rebeka Sue b. 15 JAN 1958 Sault Ste. Marie, Chippewa Co., Mich.
(2) Nathan Robert b. 18 SEP 1959 Jefferson City, Cole Co., MO m. 5 JUL 1980 Jefferson City, MO to Donna Jo Houchins. No issue. Residence at Jefferson City, MO

(3) Sally Lee b. 3 OCT 1960 Jefferson City, Cole Co., MO m. 18 MAY 1984 at Lillington, Harnett Co., N. C. Kenneth Aaron Rhoades b. 10 SEP 1958 Licking, Texas Co., MO s. of Charles Arthur Rhoades and Betty Virginia Long. Their children: (Surname RHOADES)

- (1) Aubrey Sue b. 6 NOV 1977.
- (2) Nathaniel David b. 17 SEP 1982.

381. GEORGE MERLIN FABERA (Marie, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 18 MAR 1941 Prescott, Ogemaw Co., Mich. m. 28 SEP 1963 Prescott, Mich. to Kathleen Karafa b. 30 AUG 1943 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich. dau. of Steve Karafa and Mary Loraine Caverly.

Children: (Surname FABERA)

- (1) Greg b. 29 APR 1966 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich.
- (2) David b. 23 JUN 1968 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich.

382. RALPH LEO FABERA (Marie, Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 15 OCT 1949 West Branch, Ogemaw Co., Mich. s. of Robert Fabera and Marie Koch m. 12 SEP 1970 Deborrah Lee Sampier b. 19 FEB 1952 Bay City, Bay Co., Mich. dau. of John Frank Sampier and Evelyn Minnie Neview.

Children: (Surname FABERA)

- (1) Robert John b. 1 SEP 1971 Ft. Monmouth, N.J.
- (2) Evelyn b. 28 FEB 1974 Heidelberg, West Germany.
- (3) Melissa b. 6 DEC 1979 Saginaw, Saginaw Co., Mich.



Emmet Leroy Koch (#95)



Hilda M. Koch (#220)

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482. CYNTHIA SUE GREEN (Carrol E., Otis D., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 26 MAY 1955 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Roger B. Green and Carrol E. Koch m. 11 SEP 1976 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Joseph L. Baker, min., to Mark Alan Rowan b. 12 DEC 1954 Peoria, Peoria Co., Ill. s. of David Charles Rowan and Margaret Ann Schindler.

Children: (Surname ROWAN)

836. Carrie Marie b. 3 DEC 1979 Saginaw, Saginaw Co., Mich.

Residence at Wichita, Kansas.

484. GARY ALAN KOCH (Duane E., Otis D., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 28 MAR 1952 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Duane E. Koch and Vera Jane Reynolds m. 27 MAR 1982 Pottstown, Montgomery Co., Pa. to Nancy Van Riper b. 14 AUG 1950 dau. of Harry Van Riper and Arlene Buckwalter.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

837. Ashley Nicole b. 22 JUN 1983 Bay City, Matagorda Co., Texas.

497. PATRICIA JOAN JONES (Betty J. Mann, Marguerite M., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 13 JUL 1962 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Alvin J. Jones and Betty Joan Mann m. 9 AUG 1980 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (First Baptist church) to Rick Shultz b. 24 SEP 1953 Garrett, Ind. s. of Henry Alva Schultz and Odessie Adeline Reinoehl.

Children: (Surname SCHULTZ)

838. Nathaniel Jacob b. 6 AUG 1983 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Memorial Hospital)

Residence at Auburn, Indiana.

498. CONNIE JEAN JONES (Betty J. Mann, Marguerite M., John C., Christian, Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 13 JUL 1962 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Alvin J. Jones and Betty Joan Mann m. 8 DEC 1980 Rinkgold, Ga. and divd. FEB 1984 Ronald Ray Gibson b. 3 DEC 1961 Findlay, Hancock Co., Ohio s. of Francis David Gibson and Mary Annalee Marx.

Children: (Surname GIBSON)

839. Joshua Adam b. 23 AUG 1982 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Memorial Hospital).

504. MARTHA ESTHER NELSON (Mary B., Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 18 OCT/NOV 1950 Munising, Alger Co., Mich. dau. of Richard K. Nelson

and Mary Bell Koch m. 28 JUN 1969 Frank Inman b. 18 APR 1947 s. of Glen Inman and Rose Savaglio.

Children: (Surname INMAN)

840. Brian Lee b. 29 NOV 1969.

841. Frank Allen (Frankie) b. 19 JUN 1971.

505. KATHERINE LYNN (KATHY) NELSON (Mary B., Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 14 MAR 1952 Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. dau. of Rickard K. Nelson and Mary Bell Koch m. 21 AUG 1971 Anthony Knaus b. 31 JAN 1950 s. of Anthony Knaus Sr. and Marion Lakoskey.

Children: (Surname KNAUS)

842. Ryan James b. 16 MAR 1978.

843. Brad Allen b. 30 APR 1981.

506. ALICE MAY NELSON (Mary B., Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 5/6 JUN 1953 (twin) Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. dau. of Richard K. Nelson and Mary Bell Koch m. 13 NOV 1971 Gary Lancour b. 16 DEC 1950 s. of Richard Lancour and Jean Richmond.

Children: (Surname LANCOUR)

844. Brent Allen b. 20 APR 1973.

845. Danielle Marie b. 16 NOV 1974.

507. ELAINE MARIE NELSON (Mary B., Arthur, Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 5/6 JUN 1953 (twin) Marquette, Marquette Co., Mich. dau. of Richard K. Nelson and Mary Bell Koch m. 24 JUN 1972 Tom Taskey b. 19 FEB 1952 s. of Ray Taskey and Mary Broski.

Children: (Surname TASKEY)

846. Heather Lynn b. 27 MAY 1974.

847. Justin Ray b. 6 NOV 1979.

517. ALBERT VERNON ORSI (Robert V. Orsi, Luella M., Reuben, George W., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 25 MAR 1950 Chicago, Cook Co., Ill. s. of Robert Vernon Orsi and Betsy Ross m. Shirley - - - (no further information given).

Children: (Surname ORSI)

848. (AD) Brian Vernon b. c.1966 (Shirley's son by a previous marriage).

849. Anthony b. 29 MAR 1973 Chicago, Cook Co., Ill.

551. CAROLYN JEAN KOENIG (Jacqueline J. Hyman, Mable B. Byroade, George C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 3 OCT 1947 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Ronald A. Koenig and Jacqueline June Hyman m. 26 OCT 1968 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Rev.

Theodore C. Klees (Lutheran min.) to Edwin Ralph Baker b. 3 OCT 1945 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of Charles D. Baker and Hilda Juanita Murchland.

Children: (Surname BAKER)

- 850. April Dawn b. 18 APR 1969 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.
- 851. Crystal Dawn b. 12 AUG 1971 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.
- 852. Edwin Robert b. 3 JUN 1973 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.
- 853. Cory James b. 23 JUN 1977 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

In occupation, Edwin Baker has been an automotive machinist and also has been employed by Sunnen Products as a travelling representative for their line of automotive equipment.

Residence at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

552. DIANNA LEE KOENIG (Jacqueline J. Hyman, Mable B. Byroade, George C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 MAY 1949 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Ronald A. Koenig and Jacqueline June Hyman m. 26 MAY 1972 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Paul E. Paino, min., to Timothy David Galbraith b. 7 JUL 1948 Fort Wayne, Ind. s. of David John Galbraith and Jane Esther Strohl.

Children: (Surname GALBRAITH)

- 854. Timothy David b. 19 NOV 1972.
- 855. Andrew b. 18 NOV 1973.

Timothy Galbraith has been a landscape architect in occupation and partner in the Galbraith Nursery at Fort Wayne, Indiana where the family resides.

553. RONALD ARTHUR KOENIG JR. (Jacqueline J. Hyman, Mable B. Byroade, George C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 5 DEC 1951 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Ronald Arthur Koenig and Jacqueline June Hyman m. Randy Biber, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname KOENIG)

- 856. Ronald Arthur III b. 24 JAN 1982.

554. GEORGIANNA CHARLENE KOENIG (Jacqueline J. Hyman, Mable B. Byroade, George C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 24 MAR 1953 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Ronald A. Koenig and Jacqueline June Hyman m. 28 DEC 1974 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Todd D. Smelser, Curate to Tommy Wayne Richardson b. 8 MAY 1948 Ind. s. of Delmar Lawrence Richardson and Ruth Cecilia Soellinger.

Children: (Surname RICHARDSON)

- 857. Charisa b. 25 AUG 1983.

Georgianna's occupation at marriage was Cosmetologist. Residence at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

555. ROBERT ALLEN KOENIG (Jacqueline J. Hyman, Mable B. Byroade, George C. Byroade, Mary J., Gottlieb, John U. Koch) b. 27 OCT 1954 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Ronald A. Koenig and Jacqueline June Hyman m. 27 FEB 1982 Fort Wayne, Ind. by Louis L. Bloom, Judge, to Pamela Marie Love b. 11 FEB 1958 Ind. dau. of Grover Howard Love and Maxine Hellen T. Coonrod.

Children: (Surname KOENIG)

858. Robert Allen Jr. b. 9 APR 1982 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Memorial Hospital).

Family residence at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

649. STEVEN BRUCE KOCH (Thomas W., Wilbur F., Lessie, William, Simon, John U. Koch) b. 11 APR 1958, Alexandria, Va. s. of Thomas Wilbur Koch and Marjorie Ann Sauder m. 10 APR 1982 DeKalb Co., Ind. (Hopewell church) to Pamela Sue Comment b. 13 DEC 1962 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of James Comment and Dorothy Leonard.

Children: (Surname KOCH)

859. Melissa Renee b. 19 SEP 1984 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

689. MAX LARRY STANFIELD (Martha A. Coburn, Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 1 OCT 1942 Hephzibah, Richmond Co., Ga. s. of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m/1 28 DEC 1963 and divd. 4 JUN 1973 Lyla Dorene King b. 22 APR 1943 dau. of Robert King and Elaine Clark. No issue.

Larry Stanfield, as he prefers to be known, m/2 on 15 JUN 1973 Judy Moring b. 22 SEP 1947 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind., her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname STANFIELD)

860. son b. 1 OCT 1976 (name not given).

Judy Moring had m/1 Ronald Wade by whom there was one daughter (name not given).

Larry Stanfield is a salesman in occupation. Church affiliation Un. Methodist.

690. GWENDOLYN ANN STANFIELD (Martha A. Coburn, Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 10 JUL 1946 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio dau. of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m. 15 JUL 1967 Willard, Ohio (Un. Brethren church) to Gerald Robert (Gerry) Holmes b. 25 DEC 1942 Willard, Ohio s. of Howard Holmes and Helen Sparks.

Children: (Surname HOLMES)

861. Shannon Renee b. 25 AUG 1970 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio (Willard Area Hospital).

Gerald Homes served in the U.S. Army SEP through NOV 1967; received medical discharge (blind in one eye).

Gerald is employed by Certain-teed Corp. of Avery, Ohio as a machine operator in the manufacture of roofing shingles.

Residence at Willard, Ohio. Church affiliation Un. Methodist.

691. JANICE LEE STANFIELD (Martha A. Coburn, Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 8 SEP 1947 Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio dau. of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m. 28 JAN 1967 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio to Thomas Carl Olds b. 14 MAR 1944 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio s. of Carl Benton Olds and Catherine M. Donavan.

Children: (Surname OLDS)

862. Jodi Lynn b. 29 OCT 1967 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio.

863. Jennifer Dawn b. 28 JUL 1970 Akron, Summit Co., Ohio.

864. Amy Christine b. 27 JUN 1974 Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio.

Thomas Olds has served as a member of the Ohio National Guard. In occupation he is a carpenter.

Residence at Akron, Ohio. Family church affiliation Church of Christ.

692. MICHAEL LEMAR STANFIELD (Martha A. Coburn, Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 14 JUN 1950 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio s. of Orval G. Stanfield and Martha A. Coburn m. 29 AUG 1970 Willard, Huron Co., Ohio to Deborah Jane Snyder b. 11 MAY 1950 Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio dau. of Robert Dee Snyder and Margaret Hale.

Children: (Surname STANFIELD)

865. Michael Nathan b. 8 MAR 1971 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.

866. Mathew Neil b. 24 AUG 1972 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.

867. Michelle Nicole b. 6 SEP 1973 Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.

Deborah Stanfield is employed as a teacher and Michael is employed as a compounder.

Residence in 1978 at Ashland, Ohio.

693. JAMES RALPH EGGERS (Barbara M. Coburn, Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 17 OCT 1945 Gary, Lake Co., Ind. s. of Ralph Henry Eggers and Barbara M. Coburn m. 10 DEC 1971 Carroll Co., Ill. to Janice Mahmens b. 4 JUN 1945 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital) dau. of Leonard Mahmens and Delores Schroeder.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

868. Angela Rose b. 16 MAR 1972 Davenport, Scott Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital).

869. Selena Mae b. 8 JAN 1975 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital).

870. Jessica Faith b. 30 DEC 1976 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa (Mercy Hospital).

Janice Eggers is employed as a postal clerk and James is a city mail carrier, both working for the post office at Clinton, Iowa where they reside.

694. STANLEY ALLEN EGGERS (Barbara M. Coburn, Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 16 MAY 1949 Savanna, Carroll Co., Ill. s. of Ralph H. Eggers and Barbara M. Coburn m. 24 NOV 1978 Newton, Clinton Co., Iowa (Reform Church) to Illene Norman b. 27 NOV 1950 Morrison, Whiteside Co., Ill. dau. of Isaac Norman and Harriet Ven Huizen.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

871. Inf. b. JAN 1981.

In 1980, Illene Eggers was employed as parts manager by Determan GMC Trucks at Camanche, Iowa. Stanley is a salesman in occupation employed by Clinton Tire Co., Clinton, Iowa.

Residence at Clinton, Iowa.

695. JEFFREY JOE EGGERS (Barbara M. Coburn, Estel L. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 AUG 1956 Savanna, Carroll Co., Ill. s. of Ralph H. Eggers and Barbara M. Coburn m. 19 FEB 1977 Clinton Co., Iowa (Sugar Creek Catholic Church) to Julie Wenzel b. 1 OCT 1958 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa dau. of John Wenzel and Geraldine Gregerson.

Children: (Surname EGGERS)

872. Joshua John b. 26 JUN 1977 Clinton, Clinton Co., Iowa.

Jeffrey Eggers is employed by Accent Homes at DeWitt, Iowa as a carpenter.

Residence at Goose Lake, Iowa.

698. GORDON PAUL MILLER (Douglas J. Miller, Pauline E. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 13 MAY 1948 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Douglas Jack Miller and Jeanne M. Laub m. 2 SEP 1972 Gail Ann Godsey b. 12 OCT 1950 Richmond, Wayne Co., Ind. dau. of Robert Gene Godsey and Lavona Lee Reece.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

873. Mariah Jeanne b. 2 JUN 1979 Richmond, Wayne Co., Ind.

874. Erin Lee (f) b. 20 JUL 1981 Richmond, Wayne Co., Ind.

Gail Miller attended Earlham College grad. 1972 and then attended the Earlham School of Religion 1973/74. She later studied at the Indiana University School of Nursing and grad. as an R.N.

Gordon Miller attended Earlham College grad. 1970 B.S. Degree in Biology; then continued his studies at the University of Connecticut grad. 1973 M.S. Degree in Bio-behavioral Science. This was followed by studies at the Earlham College School of Religion 1971/72 and 1973/74. He then entered the Indiana University School of Medicine grad. Doctor of Medicine, serving internship at hospitals in Indianapolis,

Ind. He began his medical practice as a member of the staff of the Indiana State Hospital at Richmond, Ind. where he now serves with administrative responsibility in several areas of the hospital operation.

Gordon Miller's hobbies include genealogy, photography and carpentry. He enjoys restoring landmark-type homes that he owns at Richmond, Ind. including one that is more than 125 years old on the outskirts of Richmond where the family resides.

699. ALLEN LEE MILLER (Douglas J. Miller, Pauline E. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 JUL 1949 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Douglas Jack Miller and Jeanne M. Laub m. 6 JAN 1969 Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Pamela Flegal b. 25 JUL 1949 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Bernard Flegal and Catherine Dietsch.

Children: (Surname MILLER)

875. Stephanie Lynn b. 17 JUL 1969 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

876. Laura Marie b. 27 APR 1971 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Pamela Miller had m/l A. B. Ward by whom she had the following children: (Surname WARD) - (1) Tracey Ann b. 29 JUL 1966 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

(2) Steve Michael b. 6 JUL 1967 Angola, Steuben Co., Ind.

706. ALAN DAVID MICHAEL (Carolyn S. Withrow, Georgia M. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 16 MAY 1954 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Wayne Michael and Carolyn Sue Withrow m. 18 AUG 1979 Kokomo, Howard Co., Ind. to Katrina Ona Bliss b. 20 NOV 1955 Kokomo, Ind. dau. of Walter Eugene Bliss and Bonnie Jean Walker.

Children: (Surname MICHAEL)

877. Jamie b. c.JUL 1979.

In occupation, Katrina Michael is a trained occupational therapist and Alan Michael serves as youth minister at Russiaville, Indiana.

Family residence in 1980 was Kokomo, Indiana.

708. CYNTHIA SUE (CINDY) MICHAEL (Carolyn S. Withrow, Georgia M. Coburn, Bertha M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 22 NOV 1956 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Wayne Michael and Carolyn Sue Withrow m. 11 JUN 1977 at Butler, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Bruce Eugene Ulm b. 11 OCT 1956 Garrett, Ind. s. of Russell Keith Ulm and Treeva Rowena Houck.

Children: (Surname ULM)

878. Michael Eugene b. 9 NOV 1980 DeKalb Co., Ind.

711. RUSSELL LEE AMADEN (Bernadine E. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 25 JAN 1941 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Lee Hugh

Amaden and Bernadine E. Wade m. 1963 in Calif. and divd. 1975 Dorothy Karen Evans, her dates and parentage not given.

Children: (Surname AMADEN)

- 879. (AD) Craig Allen b. 30 JAN 1960 (Dorothy's son by previous marriage).
- 880. Russell Lee Jr b. 3 OCT 1963 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.
- 881. Melissa Kay b. 8 JAN 1968 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio.

Russell Amaden m/2 JUN 1976 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. to Ruth Ann Krauskoff dau. of Frank Krauskoff and Marie - - -.

Children: (Surname AMADEN)

- 882. Matthew Lee b. 20 SEP 1977 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

Ruth (Krauskoff) had m/1 - - - Andorfer by whom there were the following children: (Surname ANDORFER) -

- (1) Diane Eileen b. 8 SEP 1966.
- (2) Michele Denise b. 1 MAR 1968.
- (3) Pamela Lynn b. 10 JAN 1972.

Russell Amaden was an employe of International Harvester Co. of Fort Wayne, Ind. Family residence located at Yoder, Indiana.

712. JUDITH ANN AMADEN (Bernardine E. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 AUG 1942 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Lee Hugh Amaden and Bernardine E. Wade m. 10 JAN 1964/65 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio by Summers Clark, clergyman, to Charles Duane Davis b. 28 APR 1933 Eaton Co., Mich. s. of Mervin Davis and Lola Pifer.

Children: (Surname DAVIS)

- 883. Scott Charles b. 27 DEC 1966 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Memorial Hospital).
- 884. Eric Duane b. 30 DEC 1969 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Parkview Memorial Hospital).

Charles Davis had m/1 and divd. 7 AUG 1964 Georgia Irene Kizer.

In occupation, Charles Davis was employed as an armed guard at the time of marriage and now holds the position of deputy sheriff in Allen Co., Ind.

Judith Davis is an R.N. and is employed as a nursing supervisor at Parkview Memorial Hospital in Fort Wayne, Ind. where the family resides.

713. SUZANNE LEE AMADEN (Bernardine E. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 14 FEB 1947 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio dau. of Hugh Lee Amaden and Bernardine E. Wade m. 27 AUG 1966 Hicksville, Ohio by John Paul Hill

and divd. 1968 Vincent E. Hitzeman Jr. b. 2 SEP 1946 s. of Vincent E. Hitzeman Sr. and Margaret Ruth Herndon.

Children: (Surname HITZEMAN)

885. Kristine Kay b. 23 JAN 1967 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital).

Vincent Hitzeman Jr. was employed in construction work.

Suzanne (Amaden) Hitzeman m/2 NOV 1972 Hicksville, Ohio and divd. 1982 Larry D. Seslar b. 1945/46 s. of Gilbert Seslar and Anna Marie - - -.

Children: (Surname SESLAR)

886. Andrea Nicole b. 16 NOV 1973 Hicksville, Defiance Co., Ohio (Community Hospital)

Suzanne Seslar now resides at Hicksville, Ohio.

715. ROBERT W. SPRIESTERSBACH JR. (Ima L. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 23 MAR 1951 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Robert W. Spriestersbach and Ima Lee Wade m. 9 NOV 1980 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. to Mary Jo Hagenheimer b. 7 DEC 1954 Indianapolis, Ind. dau. of Robert William Hagenheimer and JoAnn Hackett.

Children: (Surname SPRIESTERSBACH)

887. Brook Lee b. 20 JUL 1981.

Robert Spriestersbach Jr. attended Indiana Vocational Technical College (1976) studying welding technology and also has completed 50 credit hours at IU-PU campus toward a degree in Geology. He is employed as a quality control technician by Jenn Air Corp.

716. DEBORAH JO SPRIESTERSBACH (Ima L. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 MAY 1952 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Robert W. Spriestersbach and Ima Lee Wade m. 9 OCT 1971 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. to Henry Nunnery Jr. b. 29 NOV 1949 Vicksburg, Warren Co., Miss. s. of Henry Glen Nunnery and Helen Patricia Fielder.

Children: (Surname NUNNERY)

888. Henry III b. 20 APR 1972 Lafayette, Tippecanoe Co., Ind.

Henry Nunnery served three years in the U.S. Army. He is employed as a television repairman by Schwitzer Electronics Lab.

Deborah Jo Nunnery attended the House James Beauty College (1970) and also has studied computer programming (1981) at IU-PU, Indianapolis, Ind. campus.

718. SHEILA CASTATOR (Carroll L. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 16 JAN 1950 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Souder's Hospital) m. 30 JUL 1971 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. to Larry Campbell b. 13 NOV 19--, his parentage not determined. Her parents Robert W. Castator and Carroll L. Wade.

Children: (Surname CAMPBELL)

889. Jessica Alice b. 5 SEP 1972 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital).

Residence at Kendalleville, Indiana.

719. WADE ALAN CASTATOR (Carroll L. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 JUL 1952 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital) m. 3 JUN 1972 nr. Wolcottville, Lagrange Co., Ind. (Woodruff Un. M. church) to Beverly Jane Chester b. 10 SEP 1950 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Carl Edwin Chester and Margaret Elizabeth Parrott.

Children: (Surname CASTATOR)

890. Chester Alan b. 11 AUG 1973 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

891. Dawn Elaine b. 10 JUL 1975 Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind. (DeKalb Memorial Hospital).

This family resides at Waterloo, Indiana.

720. ROBERTA JO CASTATOR (Carroll L. Wade, Russell A. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 1 JAN 1959 Lagrange, Lagrange Co., Ind. dau. of Robert W. Castator and Carroll Lucille Wade m. 23 JUL 1977 Waterloo, DeKalb Co., Ind. (St. Michael's Catholic Church) to Larry Keith Steffen b. 11 SEP 1956 s. of James Steffen and Eileen Pinnington.

Children: (Surname STEFFEN)

892. Heather Marie b. 14 JUL 1978 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital).

893. Victoria Jo b. 30 AUG 1979 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital).

894. Nicholas Ryan b. 28 OCT 1981 Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. (McCray Memorial Hospital).

Residence at Waterloo, Indiana.

725. GLENDA SUE SIBLE (Marcia Wade, Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 6 NOV 1946 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Francis B. Sible and Marcia Wade m. 23 DEC 1967 North Manchester, Wabash Co., Ind. to Robert Shull s. of John Wallace Shull and Elizabeth Anne Lannen.

Children: (Surname SHULL)

895. Jodi Lynn b. 18 APR 1974.
896. Justin Wallace b. 19 APR 1977 d. 21 APR 1977.
897. Wade William b. 26 MAY 1978.

726. GENE MARTIN SIBLE (Marcia Wade, Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 19 MAY 1947 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Francis B. Sible and Marcia Wade m. 14 AUG 1976 Mahwah, Bergen Co., N. J. Lisa Alexandra Gaitskill dau. of Harrison Clay Gaitskill III and Jennie Chamiec.

Children: (Surname SIBLE)

898. Christen Lee b. 19 JUL 1980.

729. RIETHA ANN FUNK (Marlyn K. Wade, Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 8 JAN 1951 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Orville E. Funk and Maylyn Kinsey Wade m. 24 NOV 1971 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. (St. Marks Lutheran Church) to James Redmond s. of James Bernard Redmond and Kathleen Mae Walt. No issue.

730. RENEE JOAN FUNK (Marlyn K. Wade, Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 29 MAY 1955 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Orville E. Funk and Marlyn Kinsey Wade m. 19 JUN 1974 St. Joe, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Concord United Methodist Church) Kevin Kreischer s. of John Raymond Kreischer and Dorothy May Wells. No issue.

737. KATHERINE WOLFE (Sally O. Wade, Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 1 FEB 1954 DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Ralph Dean Wolfe and Sally O. Wade m/1 on 20 OCT 1974 Edgerton, Williams Co., Ohio (Lutheran Church) and divd. Samuel Peral Stanton b. 13 SEP 1941 Pottersville, Eaton Co., Mich. s. of Sherwood William Stanton and Ruthann - - -.

Children: (Surname STANTON)

899. Cary Jennifer b. 19 AUG 1974.
900. Jerimy Jay b. 8 NOV 1977 d. 6 JAN 1980.

Katherine '(Wolfe) Stanton m/2 on 13 DEC 1979 at Clintonwood, W. Va. to Frank Thornsby b. 8 MAR 1946 Garrett, Floyd Co., Ky. s. of William Thornsby and Saraha Johnson. No issue by this marriage.

738. WENDELL DuWAYNE WOLFE (Sally O. Wade, Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 19 APR 1955 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ralph Dean Wolfe and Sally O. Wade m. 30 SEP 1974 Avilla, Noble Co., Ind. (Methodist Church) to Sharon Freeman b. 13 MAR 1956 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. dau. of Russell Eugene Freeman and Carolyn Francis Schneider.

Children: (Surname WOLFE)

901. Eric Matthew b. 21 APR 1974.
902. David Michle b. 12 SEP 1976.

739. DARRELL WAYNE WOLFE (Sally O. Wade, Albert M. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 12 DEC 1956 DeKalb Co., Ind. s. of Ralph Dean Wolfe and Sally O. Wade m. 26 AUG 1978 Waynedale, Allen Co., Ind. (Avalon Missionary Church) to Charlott Sutorius b. 12 OCT 1959 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. dau. of Teddy Eugene Sutorius and Kay Joan Schroyer.

Children: (Surname WOLFE)

903. Justin Michle b. 24 OCT 1979.

743. MARK HARRIS (Gwynn L. Wade, George E. Wade, Roy L. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 1 JUL 1955 s. of Dwayne Harris and Gwynn Lee Wade m. to Jean - - -, (no more information given).

Children: (Surname HARRIS)

904. Samuel Blu b. 30 JUL 1975.

759. ROBERT JOE WALKER (Janice E. Snoke, Musa E. Wade, Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 25 MAY 1947 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. s. of Frank Walker and Janice Elaine Snoke m. 20 MAY 1967 Hamilton, Butler Co., Ohio to Kendra Ann DeMonge b. 17 JAN 1947 Hamilton, Ohio dau. of Kenneth Francis DeMonge and Elsie Mae Woodrey.

Children: (Surname WALKER)

905. Cynthia Leigh b. 19 MAY 1969 Ohio.

906. Matthew Frank b. 3 AUG 1972 Ohio.

907. Christopher David b. 21 FEB 1979 Ohio.

760. CANDACE SUE WALKER (Janice E. Snoke, Musa E. Wade, Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 27 AUG 1949 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co., Ind. dau. of Frank Walker and Janice Elaine Snoke m. 12 JUN 1971 Westmoreland Co., Pa. to Larry James Larese b. Westmoreland Co., Pa. s. of Lawrence Larese.

Children: (Surname LARESE)

908. Michael James b. 19 MAY 1976 Westmoreland Co., Pa.

909. Carrie Rene b. 2 APR 1979 Westmoreland Co., Pa.

762. LINDA COLEEN SNOKE (Robert M. Snoke, Musa E. Wade, Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 24 MAR 1951 Wabash, Wabash Co., Ind. dau. of Robert M. Snoke and Roberta R. Heagy m. 12 SEP 1970 Claypool, Kosciusko Co., Ind. and divd. 1977 David (Chips) Neer s. of Harold F. Neer and Edith Davis. No issue.

Linda Neer m/2 on 1 FEB 1978 Gary Wayne Houser b. 11 FEB 1952 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. s. of Donald Paul Houser and Marjorie Ellen Leffers.

Children: (Surname HOUSER)

910. Kristopher Allen b. 19 SEP 1978 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

911. Nicole Ellen b. 27 FEB 1980 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

763. STEVEN RAY SNOKE (Robert M. Snoke, Musa E. Wade, Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 25 JUL 1952 Wabash, Wabash Co., Ind. s. of Robert M. Snoke and Roberta R. Heagy m. 5 AUG 1979 Indianapolis, Marion Co., Ind. to Linda Sue Collins b. 29 DEC 1958 Indianapolis, Ind. (Methodist Hospital) dau. of Ronald Clarence Collins and Lida Frances Guilford.

Children: (Surname SNOKE)

912. Leslie Erin (f) b. 5 JAN 1982 Franklin, Johnson Co., Ind.

913. Matthew Robert b. 3 APR 1984 Franklin, Johnson Co., Ind.

764. ELAINE ANN SNOKE (Robert M. Snoke, Musa E. Wade, Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 AUG 1953 Wabash, Wabash Co., Ind. dau. of Robert M. Snoke and Roberta R. Heagy m. 13 APR 1974 Claypool, Kosciusko Co., Ind. and divd. MAR 1982 Carl Leroy Hadley b. 13 AUG 1953 Syracuse, Kosciusko Co., Ind. s. of Carl Homer Hadley and Roxanna Jo Weaver.

Children: (Surname HADLEY)

914. Kara Renee b. 14 DEC 1974 Muncie, Delaware Co., Ind.

915. Jennifer Erin b. 29 DEC 1978 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind.

766. GLENN PARKER WADE John T. Wade, Glen P. Wade, Clifford M. Wade, Sarah J., Simon, John U. Koch) b. 30 JUL 1959 s. of John Thomas Wade and Donella R. Stouder m. 9 AUG 1980 Cathy Jo Stuck b. 23 MAR 1962 Beech Grove, Marion Co., Ind. dau. of George Franklin Stuck and Cora Alice Walker.

Children: (Surname WADE)

916. Child (name and birthdate not given).

917. Child (name and birthdate not given).

791. KENTON WENDALL ROSENBURY (Charles W. Rosenbury, Vera B. Walter, Pearl M., John U., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 12 SEP 1954/55 Garrett, DeKalb Co., Ind. (Sacred Heart Hospital) s. of Charles W. Rosenbury and Beverly R. Nodine m. 13 FEB 1981 DeKalb Co., Ind. by Phillip W. Lutz, pastor (Mt. Pleasant Un. Methodist church) to Debra Kay (Debbie) Bowman b. 16 DEC 1950 Ind. dau. of Paul Louis Bowman and Martha May Rehklaue.

Children: (Surname ROSENBURY)

918. Aaron Lewis b. 18 MAR 1982 Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Ind. (Lutheran Hospital).

Debbie m/1 and divd. - - - Sanderson. No issue.

Kenton Rosenbury attended Indiana University grad. BA Degree in Accounting and is a licensed CPA. He is now attending Law School at Indiana University, Indianapolis, Indiana. In occupation, he is employed as an accountant by General Telephone Co. of Indiana at Indianapolis, Ind.

Residence at Noblesville, Indiana.

793. SUSAN ANNE CULBERTSON (Carol A. Rosenbury, Vera B. Walter, Pearl M., John U., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 31 MAY 1951 dau. of Arthur L. Culbertson and Carol A. Rosenbury m. 7 AUG 1971 John Edward Denmark b. 1 NOV 1948, his parentage not given.

Children: (Surname DENMARK)

919. Emily Marie b. 4 MAY 1974.

920. John Arthur b. 5 FEB 1978.

921. Carolyn Culbert b. 31 JUN 1982.

794. STEPHEN LEWIS CULBERTSON (Carol A. Rosenbury, Vera B. Walter, Pearl M., John U., Joseph, John U. Koch) b. 19 DEC 1952 s. of Arthur L. Culbertson and Carol A. Rosenbury m. 23 SEP 1972 Sherry Sells b. 18 DEC 1953, her parentage not given.

Children: (Surname CULBERTSON)

922. Stephen Jason b. 5 APR 1974.

923. Mathew Lewis b. 23 SEP 1975.

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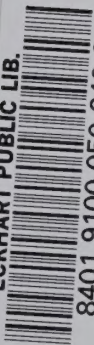


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